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THE WOLVERINES

WIN WESTERN CHAMPIONSHIP FROM MINNESOTA IN A GRINDING GAME.

BY SUPERIOR TEAM WORK

Iowa Easy Proposition ... Wins from Cornell ... Nebraska Has Fine Record.

Minneapolis, Nov. 27.—By a ... Michigan today defeated and earned the undisputed Western championship ... sixty minutes of furious ... the game. At times ... ally Michigan, were ... times the game on ... pressed, but it never ... desperate. The superiority ... over the Gophers ... tonight. In the ... carried the ball 205 yards ... yards to the credit ... In the second the Michigan ... yards against 165 ... Minnesota braced wonderfully ... touch-down, and ... game thereafter. It ... their determination ... score again, rather ... instead team won- ... defense well as of-

Michigan's First Score.

The first score after ... of play in the first ... Hornstein, Graver and ... hurdling like ... the Gopher line ... one yard line. The ... directed mostly against ... which seemed totally ... with the diversion ... the Michigan men. With only a yard to ... touch-down, Michigan hit ... play stopped there. ... up from Minnesota ... their grinding mass play, ... Maddock over the line ... score of the Western ... contest was recorded, ... only touch-down of the ... straight line bucking. ... carried it into a goal and ... Michigan, 6, Minnesota, ... supporters including near- ... present, cheered and ... but it remained for ... was destined to be the ... game, to electrify them, ... had carried the ball in ... possession to Minnesota's ... Maddock disjointed the ... line in this vicinity and ... saw the hole and went ... like a streak. Two men ... he went through. With ... speed which brought every ... Heston circled towards ... and by a hair breadth ... He ran squarely be- ... posts and a moment later ... bore this score: Michigan ... Minnesota 0. The half closed ... score unchanged and the ... possession on its ... line.

Bring In Substitute.

... half, the first substitute ... Dr. Williams put in ... Valkenberg, who had ... by his exceedingly ... In every scrimmage ... shoulders could be seen ... was responsible for ... longest gains. ... Later in ... gave place to Lig- ... only a minute and ... Blackman ... Michigan, was so bad- ... scrimmage, he stag- ... was taken from the ... first return of strength ... from his captors and ... with tears rolling ... Graver took his ... went in at full- ... score went to Minne- ... the most curious flukes ... gridiron. McGuigan ... the Minnesota line as ... but succeeded ... the flight of the ball, ... before Weeks, who ... could reach it. On ... touched the ... away and Flinn ... checking his speed ... the field with Redden ... Sweeley next ... by kicking goal ... rather awkward ... yard line. Heston ... first score, breaking ... on the 30-yard line ... the field without ... danger of a

... comment after ... was Michigan's su- ... team work which ... Minnesota depend- ... but the Michigan ... was still heavy ... skillful enough ... stand was necessary.

Not Satisfied.

... Michigan, after the ... entire satisfaction, ... outplayed Minnesota ... He said Minnesota's ... vicious and the ... hardest game of the ... played by Rogers, the ...

... score," he said, "was ... legitimate football but ... a fluke. Flinn got ... Knowlton's punt and ... just as it touched ... fingers. On straight line ... Minnesota was hopelessly beat-

Dr. Williams, Minnesota's coach, said:

"Michigan played splendidly and won the game on its merits. We congratulate Michigan on having won the Western championship and also upon its team which should unquestionably be ranked as a close second to Yale. All of our men came out of the game in good condition. Michigan's speed and variety of plays are worthy of eminent comment."

EVENS UP OLD SCORE.

Chicago Outplayed Wisconsin's Disabled Eleven.

Chicago, Nov. 27.—Chicago outplayed Wisconsin today and won, 11 to 0, in a hard fought but not brilliant game of football. The Maroons settled the score of year's standing with Coach Phil King's Badgers and administered the third defeat of the season to Wisconsin. Chicago made only one touch-down from which a goal was kicked. Ellsworth scored the other five points by a place kick from Wisconsin's 16-yard line. Honors were about even until the second half, when Driver made a poor punt and Schnur, taking advantage of the shifting of the position, broke through the tackle and placed the pigskin behind the goal posts after a sixteen-yard run.

Ellsworth kicked a goal. Ellsworth tried a place kick for goal from Wisconsin's 27-yard line in the second half, but failed. The rest of the game was routine work.

Chicago's anxiety to charge during the game resulted in off-side plays three times and the penalizing of the Maroons. Ellsworth was extremely fortunate in punting but Bertke blocked two of them. Wisconsin men often let Chicago's interference feel them. The interference through tackle, the man with the ball going through the center and vice versa, was a good ground gainer for Chicago. Speaks' end play for Chicago was too strong for Wisconsin's attempted end runs.

Wisconsin came to Marshall field with a hospital list. Captain Jucau was scarcely fit for the hard contest and Vanderboom, the new "norsky larzon" of the Badger back field, had scarcely recovered from his injuries received in the game with Minnesota.

UNCERTAIN TO THE END.

Pennsy Takes Cornell's Measure in a Great Struggle.

Philadelphia, Nov. 27—The University of Pennsylvania today defeated Cornell, 12 to 11. The Ithacans kicked a goal from placement and scored a touchdown from which a goal resulted in the first half, while Pennsylvania scored two touchdowns and kicked two goals in the second half. Never has a more intensely exciting and uncertain contest been witnessed on Franklin Field. Until the end of the game, there was painful uncertainty in the hearts of Pennsylvania's supporters. Cornell had thrice carried the ball dangerously near Pennsylvania's goal and once carried it over.

Another touchdown or opportunity for a second goal from placement would probably mean defeat for the local team. But as the time drew near for the close of the contest Pennsylvania's play became more fierce, while that of Cornell grew correspondingly weak and the game ended with the ball in Cornell's possession on her 25-yard line.

IOWA OUTCLASSED.

Illinois Defeats Them By Top-Heavy Score.

Champaign, Ills., Nov. 27.—Illinois defeated Iowa 80 to 0 today. Iowa never entered Illinois territory and gained the required 5-yards but once during the game.

Cook and Stahl made their first appearance in Illinois uniforms, and both played a star game. Powell, of Iowa, was carried off the field unconscious. All of Illinois' touch-downs were earned by straight football. Rothgeb tore up Iowa's line for 5 to 10 yards every time he was called on to carry the ball. Illinois kicked off to Iowa at the beginning of the game and scored after five minutes play. Iowa secured the ball only twice during the first half. The score at the end of the first half, 41 to 0.

In the second Iowa played a better game while Illinois used her entire scrub team.

Columbia And Syracuse Tie.

New York, Nov. 27.—Columbia's football team played a tie game today with Syracuse. Syracuse escaped defeat only by a narrow margin, as, with the score 6 to 5, for Columbia, in Boland's attempted goal the ball hit the cross bar and, fortunately for Syracuse, rolled over the stick for the point that tied the score.

NEBRASKA'S GOOD RECORD.

Finishes the Season Without Being Scored Against.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 27.—University of Nebraska finished the season today without once having been scored against, defeating Northwestern university 12 to 0. The game was the hardest Nebraska has played on the home field this year. Today's score makes a total of 188 points scored by Nebraska against none by her opponents. During the last part of the first half Northwestern seemed almost certain to score, but time was called with the ball on Nebraska's 5-yard line.

The punting of Benedict for Nebraska was the feature, one of his punts going nearly 60 yards. Both teams tried place kicks several times, but both failed. Van Kyper and Sabin did excellent work for Northwestern, while Benedict, Bender and Mickell were the Nebraska stars. Mickell made both touch-downs

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 27—Hugo Kelley, of Chicago, tonight got the decision over Rube Ferns in a ten round bout.

FAR FROM HOME

AMERICANS IN DISTANT LANDS REMEMBER THE ANNUAL DAY OF THANKSGIVING.

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCHES

At Manila Hold Services Which Were Attended By Governor Taft And His Staff.

Manila, Nov. 27.—This general observance of Thanksgiving day by the Roman Catholic church in the Philippines took place here today. Bishop Gracia issued a letter calling attention to the proclamation of President Roosevelt and Governor Taft, and directing the observance of the American holiday. Solemn high mass was celebrated in the cathedral, apostolic delegate, Archbishop Guidi, giving his benediction to the worshippers. Governor Taft and many Americans were among those present.

Other churches held a united service, Bishop Brent delivering an address and Rev. George Pentecost reciting the prayers. Taft and a majority of the American colony also attended this service. In the course of his address, Bishop Brent said he had opposed the United States assumption of responsibility in the Philippineestians, but he added "now we must return and face our duty."

Dance In Mexico.

Mexico City, Mex., Nov. 27.—A Thanksgiving ball was given tonight by the American colony in this city. President Diaz was among the invited guests. The ball was a great social success, many representatives of the highest society of Mexico being present.

At Vienna.

Vienna, Nov. 27.—In the absence of the ambassador, charge d'affaires Hale and Mrs. Hale, gave a Thanksgiving reception this afternoon, Second Secretary G. B. Rives and Captain Harris, military attache, assisting. Nearly 200 Americans attended the function.

In Berlin.

Berlin, Nov. 27.—Three hundred Americans celebrated Thanksgiving day dining together tonight at the Kaiserhof. Retiring Ambassador White, who presided, proposed the health of his German emperor and President Roosevelt, who he said were in many respects alike. Consul-General Mason proposed a toast to Ambassador White, and also to Secretary Jacksen, who leaves for Athens in a few days. A telegram of good wishes was sent by the assembly to President Roosevelt.

Quietly In Paris.

Paris, Nov. 27.—Thanksgiving day was quietly observed here by the American colony. Special services were held in several churches.

In Rome.

Rome, Nov. 27.—A hundred stars and stripes hanging from the houses of the Americans announced Thanksgiving day to the people here. Special services were held in the American churches, Rev. Dr. McCracker, of New York officiating.

Mr. Francis MacNutt, papal cavalier of the cape and sword and the highest American layman at the Vatican, gave a magnificent dinner in honor of the day. The guests included Archbishop Chappell, of New Orleans. Professor Norton, director of the American school of classical studies, gave an entertainment to his students.

In London.

London, Nov. 27—Nearly 500 American citizens and a sprinkling of distinguished Englishmen and women participated in the annual Thanksgiving dinner tonight under the auspices of the American society of London. Speeches were numerous and abounded in good feeling and reciprocal compliments. Toasts in honor of King Edward and President Roosevelt were drunk with equal enthusiasm.

Right Hon. Mr. Asquith, proposing the health of Ambassador Choate spoke of the happy relations between England and America.

Ambassador Choate made a happy response, concluding with an eloquent tribute to President Roosevelt, who, he said, was so strong, brave and true that he might himself have been the leading spirit of the Mayflower. It was his influence and example, continued Choate, that was responsible for the interest young Americans are now showing in politics and the vigor, courage and human sympathy with which Roosevelt brought the coal strike to a successful outcome, was the admiration of all the countries in the world.

DINNER AT WHITE HOUSE.

President and Family and a Few Personal Friends.

Washington, Nov. 27—President and Mrs. Roosevelt had at their Thanksgiving dinner only members of the family and a few personal friends. The table was set in the state dining room. Those present were: President and Mrs. Roosevelt; Senator and Mrs. Lodge and Mrs. Brooks Adams; Mrs. C. H. Davis and Miss Davis; Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Robinson; Captain and Mrs. Cowles; Theodore Douglas Robinson, Miss Helen Roosevelt, Miss Roosevelt, Miss Robinson, J. K. Gracie, Robert Ferguson, Theodore Roosevelt, Jr.; John Elliott, and Miss Ethel Roosevelt.

FOOTBALL FATALITY.

Injuries of Captain Yingling Will Result in Death.

Coshocton, Ohio, Nov. 27.—Webster Yingling, captain and half-back of Newcomerstown Athletic club, was fatally injured in a football game here today.

THE RIECHSTAG IN AN UPROAR

Motion By The Center Gets the President Guessing as to What to Do.

SOCIALISTS SHOUT PICKPOCKET

Berlin, Nov. 27.—Scenes of great uproar and disorder resulted in the reichstag today from a motion introduced by the leaders of the center, the national liberals and two conservative parties, providing for taking a vote on the tariff as a whole, Baron Kardorff offered the motion, which was greeted with laughter by the socialists and radicals, whereupon the baron remarked:

"Gentlemen, you have driven us to this course."

The socialist speakers and Herren Richter and Barth contended the motion was contrary to the rules of the house. President Von Ballestrem admitted he was in doubt on the question raised and declined to decide on the advisability of the motion, leaving the matter for the house to decide after a full discussion. During the debate on rules, the socialists created great disorder, Herr Antrick and others shouted "Pickpockets" and Herr Ulrich, who repeatedly interrupted the speakers, was called to order three times, the conservatives shouting, "Put him out."

Further discussion was postponed until tomorrow.

ENGLAND ANNEXES ISLANDS

And Shells Fijis for Killing a Christian Native Woman.

Victoria, B. C., Nov. 27—According to advices from Sydney, H. M. S. Sparrow, has returned from a protracted cruise through the South Sea groups. The war ship's officers annexed Sparrow, Ysabel and Choiseul Islands for Great Britain. At Mileta Island five villages of natives were shelled to punish the islanders for having killed a Fijian woman because she embraced Christianity.

PAINTING OF FREDERICK.

As He Appeared When Recognizing American Independence in 1778.

Berlin, Nov. 27.—Adolf Von Menzel, the noted painter, has finished the painting of "Frederick the Great in the year 1778," the year in which Frederick recognized the American Independence. The painting is inscribed "Dedicated to Free America."

Von Menzel has arranged to reserve the rights of reproduction for the benefit of the German-American hospitals.

Tower Stops Over in Paris.

Paris, Nov. 27—Ambassador Tower arrived today and exchanged calls with Ambassador Porter and later with Porter and others attended a Thanksgiving dinner given by General Winslow. Tower will go to Berlin early in December when he will present his credentials to Emperor William as ambassador to Germany.

BOOKER WASHINGTON'S TALK

Tells Colored People That They Will Best Succeed Through Thrift and Education.

OBJECTS TO OFFICE HOLDING.

Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 27—The Age-Herald prints a letter from Booker T. Washington, in which he says, he has always advised the colored people, "that it is of supreme importance, at this period of their development, that they should concentrate their thought and energy on securing of homes, cultivation of habits of thrift, economic skill, intelligence, high moral character, and the gaining of the respect and confidence of their neighbors, white and black, both in the south and north."

Washington cites the fact that "every revised constitution throughout the southern states has put a premium upon intelligence, ownership of property, thrift and character," and advises the colored people that it is through these factors they must hope for advancement. He says further;

"At every proper opportunity I say to the youth of our people that they will make a mistake if they seek to succeed in life by mere political activity in the hope of holding political office."

LEAVES HALIFAX.

Hurried Departure o fEnglish Steamer for Venezuela.

Halifax, N. S., Nov. 27—The British cruiser, Charybdis sailed tonight under sealed orders. Though her destination is unknown here, the general impression is she is going to Venezuela. Extra supplies were rushed on board at short notice, and when the steam was up, the cruiser left the harbor.

IRA MERCHANT DEAD.

Bloomington City Engineer Passes Away, Aged 65 Years.

Bloomington, Nov. 27—Ira Merchant, for ten years city engineer of Bloomington, and known throughout the state, died today, aged 65. He surveyed the routes of some of the first railroads in Illinois and Missouri.

OLD ENOUGH TO KNOW BETTER.

German Methodist Minister Goes To First Football Game and Dies.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 27.—Excitement caused by watching a football game today caused the death of Rev. John J. Barth, a German Methodist Episcopal church minister, by apoplexy. It was the first game he had ever witnessed. He was 68 years old.

FRIEND AT COURT

PRESIDENT REFUSES TO HEED PROTESTS AGAINST APPOINTMENT OF NEGROES.

IF THEY ARE CAPABLE

It Would Be Unfair and Injurious Not To Give Them Equal Chance With Whites For Recognition.

Washington, Nov. 27—The president has sent a communication to a prominent citizen of Charleston, S. C., in relation to objections to appointment of colored people to federal positions there. The president says it has been his sedulous endeavor to appoint only men of high character and good capacity, whether white or black. "But it has been my consistent policy," says the president, "in every state where their numbers warranted it to recognize colored men of good repute and standing in the making of appointments to office."

These appointments have been made in various states, and the president is unable to see how he can "legitimately be asked to make an exception for South Carolina." He calls attention to the fact that in that state he has appointed in Charleston three men and continued in office a fourth, all white men—three originally gold democrats—two of them sons of confederate soldiers.

The president says he shall always endeavor to pay regard to the wishes and feelings of the people, of each locality, "but," says the president, "I cannot consent to take a position that the door of hope—the door of opportunity—is to be shut upon any man, no matter how worthy, purely upon grounds of race or color. Such an attitude would, according to my convictions, be fundamentally wrong. If, as you hold, the great bulk of colored people are not yet fit in point of character and influence to hold such positions, it seems to me that it is worth while putting a premium upon the effort among them to achieve the character and standing which will fit them.

The president denies that "negro domination" enters into the matter at all. The question raised by a Charleston citizen, he holds, "is simply whether it is to be declared that under no circumstances shall any man of color, no matter how upright and honest, no matter how good a citizen, no matter how fair in his dealings with all his fellows, be permitted to hold any office under our government."

Continuing, the president said:

"I certainly cannot assume such an attitude, and you must permit me to say that in my view, it is an attitude no man should assume. Whether he looks at it from the standpoint of true interest of the white man of the South or of colored man of the South—not to speak of any other section of the union. It seems to me, it is a good thing from every standpoint to let the colored man know that if he shows in marked degree qualities of good citizenship—qualities which in white man we feel are entitled to reward—he will not be cut off from all hope of similar reward."

ST. LOUIS FLYER

On Big Four Goes Into a Ditch at Avon, Ind.—Entire Train a Wreck —Medical Aid Called.

LOSS OF LIVES PROBABLY BIG.

Indianapolis, Nov. 27—A Big Four passenger train was wrecked near Avon, Ind. The report is that the whole train is ditched.

The train wrecked was the St. Louis flyer.

It struck a broken rail at 1:30 Friday morning. It is reported the train is a pile of ruins at the bottom of a high embankment.

At 2:30 a message came asking for all possible medical assistance, and a special train has gone with a number of physicians.

The wrecked train left Union station, this city, for St. Louis, at 12:50 this morning. It consisted of two sleepers, two express cars, baggage car and day coach. The train was well filled with passengers.

KRUPP'S CHARACTER CLEARED.

German Government Will Prosecute His Defamers.

Rome, Nov. 27.—Inquiry instituted in the scandals concerning the late Herr Krupp, at Capri Island, is said to have completely cleared Krupp's character, and that it has been decided the government will prosecute the newspapers which made the defamatory statements. It is stated the accusations against Krupp have been traced to a German painter, residing in Capri, whose arrest was ordered. The painter has disappeared.

Havana, Nov. 27—Two men who were wounded yesterday evening while on the street car by shots fired from neighboring houses died today. The mayor has ordered the police to arrest the occupants of the houses from which the shots may have been fired.

THE CRAZY ALASKA INDIANS

Tortured Members of the Tribe Who Were Believed to Be Possessed By Witches.

PRINCIPALS HELD FOR MURDER.

Tacoma, Wash., Nov. 27—The United States Commissioner Folsom, Marshall Hepburn and Prosecuting Attorney Lions have returned to Juneau from Hoonah, where they held inquests over the remains of the starved Indians. The redskins were starved to death by tribesmen because they were thought to be bewitched. One was tied to a tree and compelled to stand eight days and nights without food under heavy rains, the object of the treatment being to exorcise the evil spirit of which he was thought to be possessed. The federal officers placed the entire tribe under arrest during the investigation. Four members were found directly responsible for the barbarities and were taken to Juneau, under charges of murder.

SOCIALLY SPEAKING

The Misses Grace Record, Lura File, Minnie Redmon and Alice Baker, were hostesses last night at a very delightful progressive Thanksgiving supper. The first course was served at the home of Miss Grace Record on the Ray Bridge road at 6 o'clock. The house was tastefully decorated with flowers and autumn leaves. Oysters and dessert were served. From Miss Record's home the party proceeded to the home of Miss Lura File, on North Monroe street, where turkey was served. Miss File had decorated each room of her cozy home and the table was blooming with chrysanthemums and ferns. From Miss File's the party walked to the home of Miss Minnie Redmon, on North Main street, where salads and fruits were served. Here too, there was a profusion of potted plants and flowers. The last course was served about 10:30 at the home of Miss Alice Baker, on West Decatur street. It consisted of coffee, ice cream and nuts.

The rooms were decorated with flowers and plants. The evening was spent with games, music and singing and the party was indeed thoroughly enjoyable.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Spayd entertained a company of friends at a six o'clock dinner Thursday evening at their home, 755 West Leafland avenue. The dinner was served in four courses. Music and games followed.

The Sons of Rest met yesterday afternoon and evening with Claude Wheat. Athletic games served to entertain them during the afternoon. Phil Ruebsamen being declared the winner. An elegant supper was served.

The members of the Country Club enjoyed dinner and supper at the club house Thursday and danced after supper. Music was furnished by the Conklin mandolin orchestra.

Landlord and Mrs. James Boone entertained the guests of the Brunswick hotel and a few invited friends at a Thanksgiving ball at the hotel last evening. The large dining room was cleared and dancing was the order of the evening. At 12 o'clock a dainty luncheon was served. The evening was spent most enjoyably by the large number present.

The All the Year Around club held a Thanksgiving ball at the Guards' Armory last night. The illumination was in red, white and blue and presented a pretty effect. The regular club members were present and the dance was one of the most charming of the series.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fahay entertain a number of young folks at their home last night with a taffy pulling party in honor of their two children. There were about thirty young people present and the taffy pull was a fine success.

The Iroquois club held "open house" all day yesterday for their friends and gave a smoker. Cigars of the best brand were generously distributed. Several hundred called during the day. The reception committee were: Emil Freitag, Horace Clark and Dan Halleck.

HACK AND BUGY COLLIDE.

Jacob Lehman's Vehicle Was Completely Wrecked.

A hack belonging to Dick Copper, driven by A. D. Goodpaster, collided with a horse and buggy owned by Jacob Lehman, at the intersection of Cerro Gordo and Water streets last night about 11:30. The buggy driven by Mr. Lehman, was totally demolished and it seemed a miracle that the occupants came out uninjured. The hack was badly twisted.

Goodpaster was driving east on Cerro Gordo, on his way to the depot and Lehman with two friends was driving north on Water street. The pole of the hack struck the buggy between the wheels and the force of the collision drove the buggy down Cerro Gordo street several yards.

Mr. Lehman lives near Forsyth and borrowed another rig and went out home.

Patrolmen Powell and Bendure caught the horses and released the occupants from under the carriage.

To Jacksonville Today.

The athletes from the Y. M. C. A. will go to Jacksonville this morning to compete in the tri-city athletic meet held there this afternoon and evening.

IN FURIOUS GALE

LAKE ERIE STEAMER SYLVANUS J. MACY SPRUNG A LEAK AND PLUNGED TO THE BOTTOM.

CREW OF EIGHTEEN LOST

Disaster Happened Off Port Burwell, Ont.,—Barge Mabel Wilson, Broke Away, And Is Safe.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 27.—In a furious southwest gale on Lake Erie Sunday night, the steamer Sylvanus J. Macy, sprung a leak off Port Burwell, Ont., and plunged to the bottom, probably carrying her entire crew of about eighteen men with her. The barge, Mabel Wilson, which was being towed by the Macy, broke away from the steamer in the darkness and succeeded in sailing to Amersburg, where she arrived this afternoon.

The first news of the disaster was reported by J. J. Auterson, of the steamer Albright, which arrived today.

She reported having passed through wreckage yesterday, thirty miles southwes of Long Point, but there were no marks to tell what vessel it was from. The arrival of the Wilson, however, leaves no doubt but the wreckage is from the Macy, as the last seen of the steamer was in that vicinity.

The Macy, with the Wilson in tow, left Buffalo last Saturday with a cargo of coal. When half way up Lake Erie, a gale was encountered and when abreast of Port Burwell the tow line of the barge was thrown off by the Macy's crew, leaving the schooner to shift for herself. When last seen by the Wilson's crew the Macy was laboring heavily in the sea and was evidently making for shelter. If the crew had time to leave the ship before it sunk, it is not believed the small boats could have lived long in the terrible sea running. That nothing has been heard of them has convinced the owners that all are lost.

The only names of the crew obtainable at present are:

M. W. Gotham, Richland City, Wis., captain.

— — Gotham, son of the captain, mate.

F. Gregory, Detroit, first engineer.

George Webb, second engineer.

John Nugent, Algoma, wheelsman.

BASKET BALL

High School Girls and Y. M. C. A. Played Last Night.

One of the most interesting exhibitions of basket ball of the season was given last night in the Dennis hall, when the High School Team No. 1 composed of Misses Helen Jameson, Leda Mueller, Daisy Wilkins, Hazel Rizer, Edith Jamison and Emma Anderson, defeated the second team composed of Misses Madge Young, Babe Young, Lucile Bullard, Florence Legg, Kate Troutman, June Ewing and Florence Legg, by a score of 7 to 3.

The second team made 15 fouls and the first team only 9. The hall was nearly filled with enthusiastic friends of the players and the exhibition was well worth their attention. The work of Miss Leda Mueller was especially commendable. She threw all the baskets for her side and never made a foul during the game. That her side won was due to her efforts. The second team has been organized but a few days and as they have not practiced much together their team work was not so good as the first team. The work of Miss Madge Young on the second team was the best.

The young ladies played one half and then the two picked teams from the Y. M. C. A. captained by J. H. Keyser and Ned Wood played one half. The playing of Ned Wood and George Tolladay captured the crowd and they won a storm of applause. The team selected by J. H. Keyser won the game by a score of 22 to 11.

From the two teams of the young ladies which played last night Miss Shumacher who is coaching the teams will choose a team to go to Springfield to play the high school team of that place on December 5. The young ladies who will probably go are: Misses June Ewing, Madge Young, Kate Troutman, Helen Jamison, Daisy Wilkins and Leda Mueller.

THE GOOD FEELING

Between England and America Pleases London Press.

London, Nov. 27.—The morning papers here, commenting on the Thanksgiving banquet in addition to speaking of the customary compliments to the United States and to Ambassador Choate, take occasion to call attention to the rapid disappearance of old animosities and in this connection allude to the change between the conditions now and those existing previous to the Venezuelan boundary crisis. It is universally taken for granted there is no need to fear under President Roosevelt a repetition of any thing like the manifesto of Cleveland.

Middletown, Conn., Nov. 27—Eugene McCarthy, of Brooklyn, knocked out Eddie Boylston, of New York, in the seventh round this afternoon.

Weather Forecast.

Washington, Nov. 27.—Illinois—Fair, Friday and Saturday; warmer Saturday, variable winds becoming south.

Local Record.

The following is a record of the temperature for 24 hours ended Thursday evening at 7 o'clock as reported by Prof. J. H. Coonradt, government observer:

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Noon	36	Lowest	29
7 p. m.	29		

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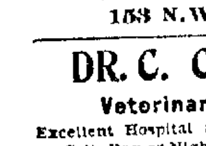

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NEARBY TOWNS

Todd's Point.

Mrs. Nellie McClashen of Oregon City, Oregon, was the guest of J. W. Atkinson and other Point friends last week.

Joseph Perry and Miss Ida Paine were married in Sullivan on the 20th. They will make their home for the present with Mrs. William Perry.

Miss Reed has returned from Decatur and is again with Mrs. Nicholson.

Services were conducted by a Mr. Allen several evenings last week at Wilburn church.

Captain George Wright of Decatur is visiting his son, Sherman Wright.

The pupils of our school under Miss Elmel's active superintendence, are preparing an elaborate program for Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Martin Woods, well known here as the sister of G. Noon, is back from Montana on a visit to the latter and her many friends in this locality.

In the report of the combination sale of Shorthorn cattle held in Chicago recently the Breeder's Gazette of November 19, contained this item: "Star's Champion, 178,258, roan; calved Nov. 10, 1899; sire Imp Star of the North; sold to John Sherman Wright, Todd's Point, Ill., $395.00."

A few days ago an eagle was noticed hovering over the farms of Messrs. Perry and Sullivan. Messrs. William Rhodes, R. Silver and Ed Jones went out on the night of the 15th and a shot by the latter winged the bird, and brought it to the ground. It was captured and caged and proved to be a fine specimen of the black eagle, measuring seven feet from tip to tip of the wings. It is now in the possession of A. Nicholson of Sullivan, who will endeavor to tame it.

The following paragraph, culled from the "Lakes Herald," Westmoreland, England, October 24, may be of interest to some of the early settlers in this community, to whom the subject of it would be well known as the wife of the late Isaac Fleming, and mother of Thomas Fleming of this place:

Death of Mrs. Parker of Grasmere.

"The late Mrs. Parker, formerly Mrs. Isaac Fleming, was born at The Hollins, Grasmere, nearly 80 years ago, and most of her early life was spent in her native village. Contemporary with Wordsworth, her memory was stored with personal reminiscences of the poet, also of her neighbors, De Quincey and Hartley Coleridge, with whom she was for many years on terms of personal friendship. Mrs. Parker had been gradually failing for the last two years and passed peacefully away on Saturday, Oct 18. She was buried in the Grasmere cemetery, within sight of her birthplace, and of the old church, where as a girl she had sung in the choir, with its then rush-strewn floor. The large gathering of old friends presented a scene of pathos peculiar to our dalesfolk, full of tenderness and homely affection for their own people."

Nov. 24.

Deeds Recorded.

Meyer Heilbrun to Robert Wallace, 10 feet off of the west side of lot 10 in block 1 in M. Forstmeyer's addition to Decatur. $3200.

Jesse Malott to Elzie J. Malott lots 1, 2 and 3 in block 3 in village of Forsyth. $300.

Jesse Malott to Wm. E. West lots 4 and 5 in block 3 in village of Forsyth, $250.

Albert G. Webber to Ed. F. Drobisch lot 6 in J. N. Bills' second addition to Decatur; $1300.

John Leo Ebert to Adolpha and Fred H. Ketcham 50 feet off of the south side of the west half of lot 1 in block 1 in V. Barber's resurvey in the south east quarter of section 3, township 16, range 2 east; $300.

David Blalock to Ellen Ritter part of the north half of the north west quarter of section 25, township 16, range 2 east; $1.

Deeds Recorded.

Eric M. Shaffer to Lewis W. Myers twelve feet off of the west side of lot 19 and 36 feet off of the east side of lot 11 in block 1 in Yates & King's addition to Decatur; $5000.

John Defrates to Eric M. Shaffer part of lot 12 in block 1 in Yates & King's addition to Decatur; $1.

W. H. Adams to J. P. Baker the south half of the northeast quarter of section 1, township 14, range 1 east; $6800.

W. H. Hill to Chas. C., Howard W., and Annabel Powers, the south west quarter of the northeast quarter and the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter in section 21, township 17, range 3 east; $3100.

W. B. Hunter to Anna B. Chapman 99 feet off of the "park" in block 3 in town of Cisner; $1500.

Annie J. Dimock to Estella A. Brooks, lot 10 in block 6 in South addition to Decatur. Also the lot adjoining on the west, 40x16 feet; $2500.

Ellen Ritter to Robert Wayts, part of the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 25, township 16 range 2 east; $100.

Clara M. Ritchie to Christian Rau, St., 149 acres in north west quarter of section 14, township 17, range 1 east, $700.

Forsyth.

Miss Eve I. Dills was the guest of Miss Cleo Barber Sunday.

John Bixler of Decatur was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Irving Glosser, Sunday.

Miss Blanche Cooper returned home from Clinton after a two-weeks' visit with her sister.

Mrs. Lizzie Parker returned to her home in Nebraska after an extended visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Mowry and Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Benton attended the twenty-fifth anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hockaday in Oreana Saturday night.

The library members will give an oyster supper at the hall Thanksgiving evening and a lunch at noon. Everybody is invited to attend.

Miss Bonnie Funk visited friends in Warrensburg this week.

Mrs. Bixler and daughters, Mrs. John Lee, Mrs. Dr. Drury and Miss Etta Bixler spent Thursday with Mrs. Lehman.

Nov. 24.

Long Creek.

Mrs. John Prather of Crowley, La., is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. J. S. Gustin who went to Las Vegas, N. M., for her health, writes back that she is much improved, and says if she could feel as fell here as she does there she would like to be here.

Melvin Carmean, who has been quite sick with typhoid fever, is able to be out again.

Robert Taylor went to Taylorville Saturday to visit his daughter, Mrs. Adams.

Hayden Veech's little son, who has been quite sick, is reported better.

The Women's Foreign Missionary society met at the home of Mrs. Will Winings last Wednesday, where an interesting meeting was held.

Taylorville.

Reuben Reatherford was tried by a commission of physicians in the county court Thursday and adjudged to be of unsound mind. County Judge Potts ordered him committed to Jacksonville. Reatherford's condition is due to religious excitement.

At a special meeting of the Taylorville council Friday evening the council made a contract with the Taylorville Electric company to furnish arc lights to the city for $50 each per year.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lee of Buffalo have issued invitations to the celebration of the golden anniversary of their wedding on November 27.

The November term of the Christian county circuit court will be convened Monday. Judge T. E. Ames of Shelbyville will preside.

The Taylorville high school football team defeated the St. Louis university team Saturday by a score of 10 to 5. Although the team was in a crippled condition they managed to make two touchdowns. The team has not been scored against by a high school team this season.

Sheriff-Elect Thomas W. Brents has named Edward Purcell of Taylorville as his chief deputy.

The Taylorville indoor baseball team will play a team from Pana November 28.

Mrs. Perry, daughter of Mrs. E. S. Lemaster of Taylorville died Saturday morning at her home in Edinburg.

The infant child of Rev. and Mrs. McMunn died Friday night of pneumonia.

Frank Orr, Professor Harry Johnson, Earl Deming and Dwight Welsh have been appointed as mail carriers in Taylorville. The carriers will begin their duties December 1.

Frank Jones was brought over from Pana Friday night and lodged in jail in default of $100 bond to hold him to the next grand jury. He stole one-half dozen eggs valued at $1.00.

Jesse K. Payton, formerly of Taylorville, was named as office deputy by Sheriff Brainard of Springfield.

Rev. H. L. Winburne, pastor of the Baptist church, has been offered a pulpit at Los Angeles, California.

Nov. 24.

Lake City.

Saturday evening on the arrival of both the married parties there was a crowd of old men and young boys with all kinds of material to make a noise with, who gave both parties a good charivari.

R. T. Lee was called to Cushman Friday night to the sickbed of his brother.

Miss Bettie Tuder and Ollie Dickson, both of this place, were married at Springfield Friday, November 21. The wedding was a surprise to all the friends and relatives. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Tudor and a highly respected young lady, and the groom is a highly respected young man, who has been working for his brother in the hardware store.

Miss Lydia Saffel and P. K. Miers, both of this place, were married at Bloomington Wednesday, November 19. The bride was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Issac Saffel and is a highly respected young lady. The groom is a well-to-do farmer.

Nov. 24.

Bement.

Miss Rose Snyder returned last week from an extended visit in Chicago.

Miss Ella Rush of Louisville, Ky., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. Martin.

Mrs. Harry Luft of Indianapolis is the guest of Mrs. M. C. Camp.

Mrs. E. J. Hess of Philo was the guest of Mrs. Andrew Swenson last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Monk of Secor are visiting their daughter, Mrs. E. H. Camp.

Messrs. Powley, Kent, Londerback, Lamb and Moore have returned from their hunting trip in Arkansas. They report an abundance of game. Londerback killed two deer and Thomas Lamb one. The others were not so fortunate.

Dr. A. C. Foster of Columbia, Mo., who has located in Bement, has purchased the John Benson property and will occupy the office vacated by Dr. E. H. Graves.

Mrs. James Hicks and daughter of Monticello are visiting relatives in Bement.

Superintendent McIntosh and County Clerk Kagey were Bement visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Sick went to Clinton Thursday to attend the wedding of their nephew.

Michael Morrison was elected commissioner of Lake Fork special drainage district by a large majority over Murphy.

Professor Charles S. Buchannan, a teacher in one of the boys' schools in Singapore, India, delivered a most interesting address at the M. E. church Monday evening.

Mrs. H. P. McNair and Mrs. Andrew Swenson entertained the Rocking Chair club at the home of the former with a 6 o'clock dinner Tuesday evening.

Miss Lilly Vaughan is in Spring Valley, the guest of Professor C. H. Andrews and family.

Monday evening, November 17, about forty young people surprised Roy Burns by calling on him at the home of H. Martin and spending the evening. Refreshments were served and all expressed themselves as having an enjoyable time.

Mrs. M. C. Camp entertained twenty-five of the gentlemen friends of her husband at dinner Saturday evening in honor of his twenty-sixth birthday. After dinner the evening was pleasantly spent in games.

Rev. and Mrs. S. S. Jones of Danville visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Evans, last week.

D. H. Siders purchased a fine driving horse in Indianapolis last week.

The Wabash new time card took effect Sunday.

The first number of the Woman's club lecture course was given Tuesday, November 25, by the Imperial Concert company.

Miss Theo Lancaster is the guest of Miss Ada Palmer at Homer.

Union Thanksgiving services will be held at the Christian church at 10 a. m.

A. H. Hollister, high schol visitor for the U. of I., spent two days the past week in examining the Bement schools.

Miss Lonella Bingham went to Sadorus Thursday to attend the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Dilling.

Nov. 24.

Mosquito.

Quite a number attended the Cross-Burk reception Thursday.

Jim Chatman was at Decatur Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rigle have rheumatism.

Miss Leah Barnett was on the sick list.

N. B. Roberts, wife and daughter, Mamie, visited J. R. Scotts Sunday.

U. D. Moffit is building a new barn.

Henry Gimmer and family and Joe McVey and family visited Sunday with R. Oliver of Niantic Sunday.

Mrs. J. R. Scott was shopping in Decatur Friday.

Corn husking is in full progress.

Mrs. Kerzine visited with Mrs. Critchman Wednesday.

Mr. Overmier has returned from Missouri.

John Scott has finished his new corn crib.

Arthur, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wolfer, who died Friday, was buried Sunday evening at Salem. His funeral was held at Bethel church, and was largely attended. He leaves a father, mother and brother and sister, besides a host of friends and neighbors to mourn his loss.

Henry Gimmer was at Decatur Saturday.

Al Clements has a sick child.

Mose Morgan and family did shopping in Decatur Saturday.

Mrs. John Hemstead is very poorly.

Miss Overman of Decatur is visiting in this vicinity.

Howard McVey and family spent Sunday with Will McVey.

Miss Sopia Hilderbrant was at Blue Mound Saturday.

Nov. 25.

Clinton.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyterian church cleared $400 at their annual bazaar November 20-21.

Frank Kelly has filed papers in the circuit court in which a change of venue is taken from Moultrie county court. The case is one for $500 damages and R. W. Coates is defendant.

The Clinton high school vs. Brown's Business college, Decatur, football game to have been played here Saturday, was cancelled and the Clinton boys played a Maroa team at Maroa with a score of 0 to 0.

C. W. McCord has been named by the republicans of the third ward to take the place of Cary Crum, who has resigned and moved to Maroa.

Mrs. Ettie B. Lewis, an old resident of this city, died at her home on North Madison street Sunday, November 23d, after an illness of nine years. The funeral will be held from her residence Tuesday, November 25, at 3 p. m. Rev. S. C. Black will officiate. The interment will be at Woodlawn.

E. Sudendorf, Sr., has been appointed superintendent of the dairy department of the world's fair at St. Louis.

William H. Hanger has filed a case in the circuit court asking $1,000 from Ada J. Henson, alleged to be due her for service at the Magill house during the past years, which time she was proprietress of that hotel.

The ice plant has been closed and will undergo a general overhauling. It will be re-opened about Jan. 1, 1903.

Forty-three men have been laid off at the I. C. shops, twenty-nine of whom were regular men. The reason given is that the force was too large and the expense too great.

An exciting school election was held in this city Saturday to elect school directors to fill the place of A. J. Latimer and Cary Crum, who have resigned. There were two tickets, following is the vote in detail: A. R. Shue, 595, A. W. Tilley, 521; Mrs. W. A. Barnett, 151; W. J. Tull, 111.

Miss Gertrude Willis of Gibson City has been engaged to teach the sixth and seventh grades at the Douglas school.

Wilby Shaw and wife, east of the city, are the parents of a baby boy, born Sunday.

Nov. 25.

Mt. Auburn.

Mrs. David Ham is seriously ill of heart disease.

Jesse Green and family of St. Louis have been visiting Mrs. Green's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Foster, the past fortnight.

Fred G. Harrington has returned from Indiana, where he went two months ago to regain his health, and has resumed his place as local C. I. & W. agent. He has a neat little cottage in course of erection in the southwest part of town.

John A. Kimball of this place was married on the 18th inst. to Miss Jessie Schrantz of Stonington. He and his bride are now enjoying a honeymoon trip through the south and will be at home to their friends in Mt. Auburn in a few weeks.

B. O. Tankersley has returned from a prospecting trip through Iowa and Dakota.

Jesse Wiswell of Decatur will shortly open a drug store in the Reeder building.

Charles Watkins and Joe Moomey are petit jurors for Mt. Auburn this term of court.

The old M. E. parsonage was sold last week to Mrs. Josephine Welsh for $600. The new parsonage will be built as soon as possible.

Plain drunks of all sizes and ages were on the streets Saturday and Saturday night.

Nov. 25.

JUSTICE COURTS.

Suit for a Real Estate Commission Being Tried.

A case is being tried in Justice McCoy's court in which W. F. Pickle is suing Edward Shasteen for $100 which he claims is due him as commission on a real estate deal. The evidence was introduced Tuesday and the arguments will be heard today.

Justice O'Mara issued two city warrants yesterday for Wesley Jimison and Ervy Jordan who are charged with soliciting business at a greater distance than five feet from their vehicles. John Francis is the complaining witness.

Will Gravel.

The highway commissioners of Long Creek township are making preparations to gravel a stretch of the highway which crosses Cowford bridge just east of Decatur. The property owners along that highway and those drive over the route to reach Decatur have contributed liberally to the improvement, some giving cash and others work by themselves and their teams. The road is gravel to the top of the hill just east of the bridge and the wish is to have the gravel continued to a point a mile beyond that.

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To Mt. Auburn.

Jesse Wiswell is making arrangements to ship his household goods to Mt. Auburn within a few days. He expects to leave for that village the first of next week to begin the work of getting his new store in shape.

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ANOTHER CASE OF SMALL POX

Reported in the Family of Fred M. Lindsay at 449 East Prairie Street.

A QUARANTINE ESTABLISHED.

The second case of small pox reported in Decatur this winter has appeared at 449 East Prairie street. Mrs. Fred M. Lindsay is the victim and while she has a mild case it is pronounced undoubtedly smallpox.

She had been feeling badly for several days and Monday evening broke out with the characteristic pustules. A member of the board of health was summoned and pronounced it small pox and Tuesday the other members examined the case and concurred in the diagnosis. The family which consists of Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay and the latter's mother, Mrs. Lane, and a colored servant, have been vaccinated and the premises are strictly quarantined.

Mr. Lindsay is a printer employed by The Review and his fellow workmen will be vaccinated this morning.

The members of the board of health have been considerably annoyed by the meddling comments of private individuals who without any knowledge of the disease have in several cases expressed themselves widely as of the belief that they were not smallpox at all. One even telephoned to a member of the board to tell him that they were mistaken in their diagnosis.

During the last epidemic one of these meddlers expressed such an intimate acquaintance with the features of the disease in a particular case that he narrowly escaped being quarantined as a member of the household.

The board of health recently investigated what was alleged to be a suspicious case on South Colfax street, but discovered that it was simply a case of chicken pox in a child and that the case had already recovered.

BURIAL AT LA PLACE.

Funeral of Mrs. Wilson Held There Tuesday.

The funeral of Mrs. Wilson took place Tuesday at La Place.

Mrs. Wilson was one of the pioneers of Platt and Macon counties having lived in this section of the country for sixty-five years. A brother, Jerry Turpin, of Turpin Station, and a sister, Mrs. Lucy Bell of Mt. Zion, survive her.

Mrs. Wilson was born May 29, 1825, in the Stone river district of Tennessee. Her parents traced their lineage back to ancestors of the family who came over from England and participated in the early settlement of Jamestown, Va. Mrs. Wilson's parents with their family came to Macon county in 1837, and settled near Shady Grove church. In 1856 she was married to William B. Wilson and removed to Piatt county, where they remained until his death in 1863. For the last twenty-eight years Mrs. Wilson had resided in her home in La Place.

Mrs. Wilson was well known, especially among the older persons in the county, and was highly esteemed by all who knew her. She joined the Christian church as a girl and during her life was active in all the work of the church.

At the bazaar of the L. A. S. of S. of V. Saturday Mrs. Mamie McNamara won the table cover and Mrs. Minnie Weitner of Bearsdale a piece of handsome embroidery work. All the chances on the quilt were not sold and the drawing for it was postponed to one of the meetings of the society to be held in a few weeks. The ladies estimate that they made about $20.

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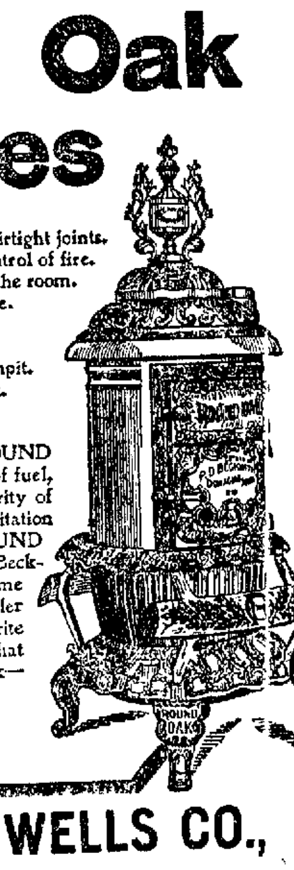

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Essen, Prussia, Nov. 26—The ... of Emperor William at ... Krupp's funeral today was desi... by his majesty to show his abso... disbelief of the accusations ... the gun manufacturer's d... statement was issued that Emp... William was indignant at the cr... malice of the social democ... and he is said to have ... expressed his feelings in ... to Rev. M. Klingmann who ... the first of the two fun... orations.

The second oration was by Ma... Director Roettger.

About 21,000 of Krupp's work... were present and the city was ... in crepe. As the remains were ... into the grave, Emperor Wil... and a workmen's ch... chanted a requiem. After the b... the emperor talked with Rev. Kl... expressing the hope that Kru... benevolent enterprises would con...

...end of the cottage of the ... father, where the body ... in state, was removed in ... about the large metallic c... flowers in great profusion were ... ... At the head of the coffin ... Emperor William's wreath of orc... ... and palms.

Emperor's Address.

Before departing for Berlin, Emp... William addressed the directors of ... Krupp works and deputation of w... at the railway station. His ... expressed great regret at ... of Krupp and spoke of the k... disposition of the deceased. ... emperor said: "Certain special ... circumstances which attended the sad ... also impelled me as the sup... and emperor to be present ... in order to hold the shield of the ... emperor over the house and m... of the dead." Speaking of Kr... sensitive nature, the emperor said ... "He has been a victim of his u... ... integrity. A deed has ... in German lands so base ... that it makes all hearts shu... and must have brought to the c... of every German patriot the blush ... at the disgrace cast upon ... whole nation.

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"The man, who was a German ... the core, who lived alway... only ... others and for the welfare of the f... and and above all for his own w... had his honor assailed. ... with its consequence, is not ... than murder, for there is no ... between him who mixes ... a poisonous draught to ... and him who, from a safe s... of his editorial sanctum, with ... darts of his slanders robs ... fellow man of his honorable name ... kills him by the mental torture he ...

Who were they that committed ... shameful act upon our friend? ... who hitherto had passed a ... German ... but are now unworthy of his n... sprang from that class of ... population which owe so ... much to Herr Krupp and of w... thousands today in the st... of Essen bowed their last fa... well ... eyes to the coffin of their ... factor."

Must Defend Memory.

Turning to the workmen he ... said:

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BLOOMINGTON LAWYER KIL...

Meets Instant Death on Side Trac... Portal, N. D.

Portal, North Dak., Nov. 26.—A ... S. H. Hayes of Bloomington ... instantly killed, and his son ... fatally injured here. They ... car of movables on a ... siding ... switch was set wrong and a pa... train crashed into them ... Hayes came here because of ... health and financial loss.

Flint's Federal Building.

Washington, Nov. 26.—The new ... building at Flint, Mich., wi... erected on the corner of Kearsley ... streets. The cost of th... $6,000.

Deaths of the Day.

London, Nov. 26.—Most Rev. ... MacEvilly, Roman Catholic archb... of Tuam and primate at Conn... 1861, died today, age 87.

MAKE ANOTHER GOOD SHOW...

In the regular monthly contest ... the Gregg Short Hand at ... Brown's Business College, Miss Jes... Feb... Eddie Morris received honorable ... The contest includes ... schools in the United States ... prize was won by a young ... Last month Will ... front ... school in this city took the prize.

ALBERT GILLIE HERE.

Albert Gillie, formerly a clerk i... linen department of Linn & Sc... and who was seriously injured ...

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KRUPP'S FUNERAL

EMPEROR ATTENDS IN PERSON ... THE LIE TO THE TRA-DUCERS OF GUNMAKER.

ADDRESSES THE WORKMEN

... Within Their Power to ... Memory of the Great Friend of Labor.

... Nov. 26—The pres- ... William at Herr ... today was designed ... to show his absolute ... accusations that ... manufacturer's death. ... ed that Emperor ... at the cruelty ... the social democratic ... is said to have per- ... his feelings in the ... M Klingman who de- ... of the two funeral

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Krupp's workmen ... the city was hung ... the remains were low- ... Emperor William ... workmen's chorus ... After the burial ... with Rev. Kling- ... the hope that Krupp's ... prises would contin-

... the cottage of the de- ... where the body was ... was removed in order ... large metallic coffin. ... profusion were piled ... head of the coffin was ... wreath of orchids, ...

Emperor's Address.

... for Berlin, Emperor ... ssed the directors of the ... and deputation of work- ... station. His ma- ... great regret at the ... and spoke of the kind- ... of the deceased. The ... Certain special cir- ... attended the sad ev- ... me as the supreme ... to be present here ... the shield of the Ger- ... over the house and mem- ... Speaking of Krupp's ... the emperor said. ... a victim of his unas- ... A deed has been ... in lands so base and ... it makes all hearts shudder ... brought to the cheek ... patriot the blush of ... disgrace cast upon our

... Socialist Editors.

... who was a German to ... lived always only for ... the welfare of the fath- ... all for his own work- ... honor assailed. This ... consequence, is nothing ... for there is no dif- ... him who mixes and ... poisonous draught to an- ... him who, from a safe shel- ... editorial sanctum, with pois- ... of his slanders, robs his ... of his honorable name and ... the mental torture he in-

... they that committed this ... upon our friend? Men ... had passed as Germans, ... unworthy of this name, ... from that class of labor ... which owes so infin- ... to Herr Krupp and of which ... today in the streets ... their last farewell with ... the coffin of their ben-

Must Defend Memory.

... the workmen the emper-

... want to be leaders of ... have robbed you of ... It lies with you to ... preserve the honor of your ... hold his memory from ... I am confident you will ... way to demonstrate ... to the German ... that in the future it ... the question for honest ... German workmen, whose ... been stained, to hold ... or relationship with ... this shameful deed. He ... himself off from these ... bring a certain ... guilt upon his own

... the German work- ... imbued with the sense ... of the present moment ... men, they will find ... this serious question."

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DIRECTOR ROBERTS' REPORT

Shows Coinage of Greatest Number of Pieces of Money But Not of So Much Value.

CERTIFICATES SATISFACTORY.

Washington, Nov. 26—The annual report of George E. Roberts, director of the mint, shows that in number of pieces of coinage the year has never been exceeded, aggregating 191,419,506, but in value in 1901. It has fallen from $136,340,781 to $94,526,678, due to the greater demand for small denominations. The gold coinage dropped from $99,063,715 to $61,980,572, but the stock of gold bullion on hand increased from $100,219,493 to $124,083,712.

The coinage of silver dollars amounted to $19,402,800, subsidiary silver coins to $10,713,569, and minor coins, $2,429,736.

The gross expenditure of operating the mints including wastage was $1,916,503. The total seigniorage accruing on silver, nickel and bronze coins made in the year is $11,013,856, which has been turned into the general fund of the treasury. The treasury holds about $500,000,000 of coined gold which the report says is doubtless more than will be called for in the generation to come. Practically all the current coinage is being deposited in the treasury for certificates. When the gold is required for export it is wanted in bars, while for domestic circulation the public prefers the treasury certificates, which with some modification of the statutes might as well be issued against bars.

LABOR TREASURER FLED.

Took With Him About Thirty-Five Thousand of Union Funds.

New York, Nov. 26.—A warrant was issued for the arrest of Lawrence Murphy, formerly treasurer of the Journeymen Stonecutters association, who is charged with the larceny of $35,000 of the funds of the association.

Murphy disappeared early in September, immediately after being requested to turn over the money in his possession to a committee for investment in a site on which the association intended to erect a building for its own use. A subsequent investigation revealed the fact that not a dollar remained in the treasury, although the books showed a credit of $35,000. Murphy is believed to have fled to his former home in England.

BIG ATTACHMENT SUIT.

Commenced in New York Against New Jersey Corporation.

New York, Nov. 26—Justice Fitzgerald of the supreme court today issued an attachment for $1,000,000 against the property in this city of the International Power company, a New Jersey corporation. The attachment is on suit of John F. Plummer, on alleged breach of contract.

Plummer asserted that through his efforts, the American Locomotive Works company was formed; and that he had engineered the financing of the company and believed himself entitled to $1,000,000 for his services. The company denies the allegations in Plummer's complaint.

COAL MINE EXPLOSION.

At Johnston City, Ill., Causes Death of Leroy Haggard.

Johnston City, Ill., Nov. 26—Terrific explosion of gas occurred in the Williamson County Coal company's mine here today resulting in the death of Leroy Haggard, and the injury of seven other miners. Among the injured are, John Haggard, father of the dead man and Clarence Haggard, brother, the latter may die.

CASE OF SUICIDE.

Verdict of the Coroner's Jury in the Springfield Case.

Springfield, Ills., Nov. 26.—The man who took poison in this city and died last night, was today identified as Amos Schubardt of Camp Point, Ills. The coroner's jury tonight returned a verdict of suicide.

Desperate Battle.

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 26.—As a result of a battle tonight west of the city limits, in which axes, revolvers and clubs were used, Bernard and Albert Beilfuss are in the hospital and the latter may die. Their alleged assailants are Max and Paul Osten. Max was arrested, but the brother escaped. The trouble resulted from a quarrel several weeks ago and the ill feeling increased since, the climax being reached in today's battle.

Weigel Arrested.

Texarkana, Ark., Nov. 26.—E. L. Weigel, one of the principals of last night's tragedy, was arrested in the hospital today charged with the murder of his wife. Weigel was found in a room at the hotel suffering from wounds inflicted by a razor and the dead body of Mrs. Weigel lay beside him, her throat cut. Weigel will recover.

Popcorn Meal Caused Death.

Flora, Ill., Nov. 26.—Buyre, the 6-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Scott of this city, died from a very strange cause. About a week ago he ate a large quantity of popcorn and it lodged in his stomach, and the doctors were unable to remove it, and he died from the effects of the congestion.

Klatawah Bought by Danforths.

New York, Nov. 26—At the horse sale today, Klatawah, the 2.05 1-2 pacer, was purchased by A. G. Danforth & Sons, of Washington, Ill., for $1400.

ERNE GOES DOWN

LOSES LIGHT WEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP OF THE WORLD TO JIMMIE BRITT OF 'FRISCO.

NEWCHAMPION LITTLE KNOWN

But He Showed the Westerners the Fastest and Gamest Fight Known On Coast.

San Francisco, Nov. 26—Frank Erne, of Buffalo, lost his hold on the world's light weight championship in a contest with Jimmie Britt of this city, who knocked out Erne in the seventh round at Mechanics' Pavilion tonight. The contest was the fastest ever witnessed in this city. Britt, while not so clever as the Buffalo man, was more aggressive and landed the most telling blows. The men went at it from the sound of the bell in the first round and for nearly seven rounds, it was a nip and tuck contest between the men. Britt proved himself cleverer in the clinches and never missed a chance to use his right or left to advantage.

Superior Generalship.

The eastern lad showed his superior generalship in many tight places and kept Britt off with straight lefts during the early part of the battle and on one or two occasions had the San Francisco boy at a disadvantage. Erne was in a bad plight several times but fought back with superb gameness and succeeded in keeping Britt off at most of the critical periods.

Only in one round did Erne have a decided advantage, the fifth. Erne in this round landed a light left on Britt's jaw and followed it up with a terrific right to the heart. He continued to play for the heart and at the close had his adversary in an almost groggy condition.

In the sixth both men fought furiously. Britt trying to regain the ground he lost in the last half of the preceding round and Erne endeavoring to secure a decided lead over Britt. The latter played for Frank's stomach and heart and during the last half minute of the round placed his left on Erne's solar plexus.

Comes Up a Goner.

Britt fought himself to a standstill and both men went to their corners in a groggy condition, but the terrific punishment administered by Britt was not to be overcome by the minute's rest preceding the seventh round and when Erne stepped to the center of the ring in what proved to be the final round it was seen he was almost gone.

Britt was not blind to his advantage and rushed at his man, landing terrific lefts to the body and rights to the face and head. A left uppercut caught Erne in the solar plexus and he went down for the count of seven, but his dominant energy asserted itself and he gained his feet, only to go down a few seconds later from another terrific left to the same place. He rolled over and did the best he could to regain his feet but could not do so, and Britt had produced another champion.

Britt's professional career commenced less than a year ago, but during that time he has successfully fought his way to the top.

QUINCY MEN GUARANTEE ROAD.

Quincy-Beardstown Electric Line Will Materialize.

Quincy, Nov. 26—The committee composed of Judge S. B. Montgomery, William H. Govert and Frank Ricker who were selected by the capitalists of Quincy to investigate thoroughly the projects and prospectus of the promoters of the interurban electric lines made their report yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock in a meeting of business men assembled in the Newcomb hotel.

The committee simply reported that the road was a good business proposition and that the contractors were fully able to build and equip the road to Beardstown and had given ample guarantee that they would do so.

If action is prompt the line to Beardstown may be in operation by July 15 next.

The freight possibilities of the road are enormous as many sections are opened up which are now ten to twenty miles from any railroad. The new coal fields will also mean much to Quincy.

TARRT NOT ELIGIBLE.

To Membership on State Board of Equalization—In Wrong District.

Springfield, Nov. 26—Attorney General Hamlin has rendered an opinion in which he holds that James Tarrt, of Edwardsville, is not a member of the state board of equalization. The latter was appointed last fall by Governor Yates to succeed the late Joseph Drury, of Monroe county. In his opinion the attorney general holds that the board is still operating under the old districting, and as Madison and Monroe counties are not in the same district, he holds that Mr. Tarrt is not entitled to a seat.

LAKE STEAMER MISSING.

Left Port Arthur Last Friday morning and Was Due at Soo Saturday.

Chicago, Nov. 26.—The Canadian steamer Bannockburn, is missing. She left Port Arthur, Ont., last Friday morning and should have arrived at Sault Ste Marie, Saturday, but nothing has been heard of her.

ERUPTION OF SANTA MARIA

Returning Passengers on City of Panama Bring Additional News of the Disaster.

PLANTATIONS ARE DEVASTATED.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 26.—The steamer City of Panama, which arrived today from Champerico brings news that as a result of an eruption of the volcano Santa Maria, the city of Quezaltenango has been visited by ruin. Quezaltenango is located at the base of Santa Maria, on the eastern slope and no fears have heretofore been entertained for the town's safety. The damage is reported to have been on the western side. That the damage has extended across the mountain is evidence of the terrific activity of the volcano. It is stated that absolute ruin stares many planters in the face and the livelihood of thousands of natives for many months to come has been shut off by the destructive work of the volcano.

M. E. Otis, of New York, a passenger on the City of Panama, gives a vivid description of the appearance of the land and sea in the neighborhood of the mountain.

"As far as the eye can reach from Champerico," said he, "there is nothing to be seen but ashes and pumice stone. We sailed for miles through a sea of ashes. From the sea to Santa Maria the country looked as if visited by a snow storm and the mountain itself looked like a boiling cauldron. At times the discharge would be carried up a short distance and at others leap high into the air as if propelled by a shock that could be felt all the way to Champerico.

"People in Champerico are unable to form any estimate of the lives lost, but all agree the work of devastation as far as the coffee plantations are concerned, is complete."

A GREAT BIG GUN

SHIPPED TO SANDY HOOK PROVING GROUNDS FOR THE OFFICIAL TEST.

FOUR YEARS IN BUILDING

Carries a 2370 Pound Projectile a Distance of Twenty-One Miles—Cost $150,000.

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 26—The sixteen inch coast defense gun manufactured at Watervliet arsenal, was shipped today to Sandy Hook proving grounds.

The following are the dimensions of this great weapon:

Length of the gun over all 49 feet, 2.9 inches; diameter of breech, five feet; bore 16 inches. The construction begun May 14, 1898, finished June 12, 1902. A faint idea of its power can be obtained by a statement that it shoots a projectile weighing 2370 pounds a distance of 21 miles. If smokeless powder is used it will require 576 pounds or about 1000 pounds of black powder. The crude steel from which the gun was assembled weighed 368,000 pounds. The cost of the gun is about $150,000. When it was decided to build this gun, it was the intention to construct twenty 16-inch guns, but the cost has been such, that the project will probably be abandoned.

CIGARMAKERS ONLY

Continue on a Strike in the City of Havana.

Havana, Nov. 26.—With the exception of the cigarmakers all strikers have returned to work this morning and business generally has resumed its normal condition. There is much bitterness toward the motormen who refused to join the strike and the streets through which the cars run are patrolled by rural guards. Discussion, the organ of the administration, blames the mayor and acting secrtary to the civil government, Tamayo, for the bloodshed. The resignation of Tamayo threatens political complications. The national party controls the house by their recent coalition with the radicals, and will vigorously oppose Palma, if Tamayo is discredited.

ILLINOIS' OFFICIAL VOTE

Shows a Plurality for Republicans of Nearly Ninety Thousand.

Springfield, Nov. 26—The following is the result of the official canvass of the recent election:

State Treasurer.

Busse, republican 450,695
Duddleston, democrat 360,925

Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Bayliss, republican 442,505
Bliss, democrat 359,497

Clerk of Supreme Court.

Mamer, republican 421,807
Pickering, democrat 378,497

Gould Outlet to Pacific.

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 26.—Warren G. Purdy, formerly president of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific railway, and George J. Gould were elected directors of the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient railway today. The line will give the Missouri Pacific and other Gould lines an outlet to the Pacific coast.

Killed Self and Fired Building.

Odessa, Russia, Nov. 26.—The watchman of the museum of the University of Odessa today set fire to the building and committed suicide by hanging himself. The edifice, containing a very valuable collection, was destroyed.

A TRUCK BROKE

JACKSONVILLE AND SOUTHEASTERN TRAIN PLUNGES OVER 30-FOOT EMBANKMENT.

TEN PERSONS ARE INJURED

Two of Whom are Expected to Die—Overturned Stove Sets Fire to The Wreck.

Greenville, Ill., Nov. 26—While rounding a curve east of Ayers, at high speed today, a Jacksonville and St. Louis passenger train plunged over an embankment thirty feet high. Ten persons were injured, two of whom may die.

The injured:
GEORGE ENLOE.
JESSE WILLIAMSON, of Greenville.
CLYDE M'RAEKEN.
F. S. CHAPMAN.
GUY O'HARA.
CALLIE JONES, all of Soronto.
B. STURTZENHOFFECKER, of Tamalco.
THOMAS F. BOYD, brakeman, of Litchfield.
H. M. JACKSON, of Litchfield.
JAMES CARTER, conductor, of Jacksonville.

The overturned stove ignited the debris and many passengers were severely burned.

Conductor Carter and Clyde McRaeken may die. It is believed a truck broke as the curve was being rounded.

TROUBLE FOR THE CHINESE

Naval Activity at Hong Kong Portends Something More Serious Than a Demonstration.

CONVICTS ARE ON A STRIKE.

Victoria, B. C., Nov. 26—The steamer Olympia, which arrived today from the Orient reports that naval activity still prevails at Hong Kong. The China mail says the activity of the naval authorities portends far more serious work than a demonstration against China on account of the Hunan affair, which was settled by China acquiescing to the execution of officials responsible for the murder of Missionaries Bruce and Lewis.

From a Siberian convict settlement at Alexandrovsk, news was received that the convicts have gone on a strike, refusing all nourishment until they are more humanely treated. A Shanghai paper, the Free Press, gives some horrible details of the treatment of these unfortunates, who are mostly educated men, sentenced for political offenses. The paper says they are loaded with chains, herded in dark, unsanitary cells and not taken out into the open air for weeks at a time. Infectious diseases have broken out among them, but the sick have not been removed, being left to suffer in the overcrowded prison. The result is that others have become contaminated. Even corpses of those who succumbed are left to rot among the living. The convicts carried out the strike resolutely. On the third day many lost consciousness from fasting, but no sufferings induced them to accept food. The condition of convicts in Koktschetavsk is still worse. Desperate revolts there have only been quelled after much bloodshed.

BAER WAS ON BOTH SIDES

Miners' Attorneys Call Attention to the Vacillating Policy of the President of the Reading.

HE WAS EASILY INFLUENCED.

Scranton, Pa., Nov. 26.—Attorneys representing the miners issued a statement today regarding the calling off of the negotiations for an amicable adjustment of the strike controversy. They declared the operators, after being seen by MacVeagh last Thursday, agreed to a tentative plan of settlement out of court. Attention is called in the statement to the fact that President Baer of the Reading company signed the telegram to Judge Gray, saying the proposed amicable adjustment was agreeable to the operators and that Baer also signed a telegram to MacVeagh yesterday, in which the operators said they did not wish to subscribe to the amicable adjustment plan. The attorneys say in conclusion:

"We can see no reasons for the expression of any opinion, the facts speak for themselves. We have been ready at all times to consult with any one in interest and make any reasonable adjustment, but we have no anxiety over the case whatever, or its results, and shall be ready for business when the commission meets."

The independent operators say it did not require much argument to bring the coal road presidents to their way of thinking.

President Mitchell and several other union officers who are here to attend the commission's hearing, spent the afternoon in conference as to the details of the evidence to be presented. Mitchell denied the report that the miners' executive board has been summoned for a conference.

Steamship Arrivals.

Southampton, Nov. 26—Philadelphia, from New York.

THERE WILL BE NO IFS

Minnesota is at Ann Arbor With an Average of 200 Pounds of Beef.

FOR GREAT STRUGGLE TODAY.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Nov. 26.—Coach Williams and the Minnesota football team arrived this evening. It is predicted that the Minnesota team will average 200 pounds, although Dr. Williams said tonight that the line-up will not be finally settled until tomorrow.

"The best team will win," said Yost, Michigan's coach, tonight.

"There will be no 'ifs' about it. We will do the best we can and if beaten will not say it was any lack of men. Of course we hope to win."

Coach Williams stood guard at the dining room door when his men came out from supper and sent the Minnesota players directly to their rooms.

"We did not come here for nothing," said Williams, "our men are in splendid form and that means a good deal. Every man who will go into the battle is as sound as a bullet and if we don't win it will be because the Michigan men are the better players."

Great disappointment is felt among Michigan's supporters owing to Jones' inability to play full back. He is laid up with water on his knee and will not even be able to witness the game, but Graver, who will take his place, has been credited with being the best all round player on the team.

VISITS PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Germany's Commissioner to St. Louis Fair Surprised at Public Schools.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 26.—Dr. Theodore Lewald, imperial commissioner to the world's fair from Germany, visited several public schools today. He expressed surprise at the high development the public school system of this country has attained, and asked many questions relative to its operation. Lewald was introduced to the class in domestic science. The class cooked an omelette, which he ate with relish, and expressed a wish that domestic science formed a part of the German public school curriculum.

AMES AT LOUISVILLE.

Minneapolis' Indicted Mayor to Locate in Watterson's Town.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 26.—The Courier-Journal tomorrow will say: "Former Mayor Ames, of Minneapolis, who was indicted in connection with municipal corruption of that city, and who was supposed to have gone to Mexico, has been in Louisville the past ten days. His family are expected here tomorrow and he will then take up his permanent residence in Louisville.

THE TEAM FOUND.

Express Robbers at Davenport Escaped in a Boat.

Davenport, Iowa, Nov. 26.—The team stolen by the robbers who blew the safe of the Rock Island express train here Saturday morning, was found today in the Wapsie river bottoms, forty miles northwest of Davenport. It is now thought that the bandits escaped down the Wapsie in a boat. The banks of the stream are covered with thick shrubs and the river is well concealed. No further clue has been secured.

Sends Waterbury.

Washington, Nov. 26.—In consequence of a voluntary act of loyalty on the part of the people of Tutuila in ceding to the United States sovereign rights of that and other islands, President Roosevelt has sent them a message of greeting and in addition has presented each chief who signed the instrument with a silver watch and chain and a silver medal.

HAWLEY MURDER TRIAL.

Witnesses are Being Summoned from Moweaqua and Vicinity.

Officers are busy summoning witnesses from Moweaqua and vicinity for the Hawley murder trial which will begin at Shelbyville on Monday next. So far sixty-five witnesses have been summoned. There is an impression at Moweaqua that a change of venue will be asked for and secured.

Bowling Notes.

The Pastime Bowling team defeated the Brunswick team at the Brunswick alleys last night by 165 pins in three games. The total pins for the Pastimes were 2555 and the Brunswick's 2395. The Pastime players were: Curry, Coppage, T. Metz, J. Metz, Martin, Brunswick, Draper, Mundy, Cassell, Radcliff, Bray and Young. The next game will be played at the Pastime next Wednesday.

The contest for turkeys at the Brunswick alleys closed last night. Ben Coppage won the turkey for the highest individual score, having 243. Will Curry won a turkey for the best score in any five games. Tom Metz won a box of cigars for the best score in five successive games, making 1021.

The First Snow.

The first snow of the season came Wednesday. It began early in the morning and continued intermittently all day. The snow melted as it fell, very little remaining on the ground.

To Meet Dr. Cecil.

R. S. Bohon entertained about fifteen members of the medical profession at the Decatur hotel last night to meet Dr. J. G. Cecil of Louisville, Ky. There was a luncheon and smoker.

Married.

Miss Katie Kelly was married to Walter Abrams Thursday night by Rev. Father Murphy at the rectory of St. Patrick's Catholic church.

ENGINEERS BALL

At the Guards' Armory Wednesday Evening was the Greatest Success of the Season.

DECORATIONS WERE ELABORATE.

Two Orchestras Furnished the Music—Ladies Served Lunch.

One of the most elaborate balls ever given in this city was the first annual ball of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, at the Guards' armory last night.

The Grand March started at 9 o'clock, led by George Nelson, secretary of the General Board of Adjustment, of Moberly, Mo., and Mrs. Blanch Cowles, secretary of the local G. I. A. to the B. of L. E. They were followed by 150 couples, the majority of whom were in evening dress. Then followed a program of twenty-four dances, with an intermission at 12 o'clock. The music was furnished by an orchestra of seventeen pieces. In the Grand March the ladies were presented with a white badge and a rose and the men with a blue badge and a carnation. Over 500 flowers were distributed.

Beautifully Decorated.

The Armory was beautifully decorated. Four hundred yards of bunting and half a hundred American flags of large size were used. There were twelve dozen red, white and blue lanterns, which were hung from the sides of the walls and lined the bannisters of the staircases. Behind the orchestra stand was draped an immense American flag and the platform was ornamented with innumerable plants and boquets of roses and carnations. A number of fine paintings and mottoes of the order hung about the hall. At the head of the hall was a large painting bearing the initials of the order of B. of L. E., the "E." falling into a golden crescent. Back of this motto was the bell of the famous old 419. On the outside of the building a searchlight had been mounted, which beamed on the adjoining streets, guiding those who were on their way to the assembly.

The Banquet.

In the banquet hall the Auxiliary were a busy lot. There were five tables, beautifully decorated with boquets of carnations and trimmed with smilax and ferns. An orchestra behind a screen of palms discoursed sweet music during the supper hour. The menu was the choicest which could be prepared and embraced all the delicacies of the season.

Here also prevailed the same elaborate decorations as in the dancing hall. Festoons of bunting and streamers of American flags fell from the ceiling and the walls were hung with red, white and blue lanterns. The ladies in charge were Mrs. Knowlton, president; Mrs. Brecount, Mrs. Cowles, Mrs. Henry, Mrs. Hine, assisted by about twenty members of the Auxiliary.

Will Make Money.

Although the expenses of the affair were nearly $300 the organization will make about $200. The members of the organization wish to express their thanks for the treatment which they received at their first affair. "We have only one fault to find," said a member of the order, "just at the critical time the electric lights, which added much to the decoration, went out and we had to resort to the gas. We had expected the new decorations of the Armory would be complete and were somewhat disappointed in that."

After the Grand March C. J. Vandeventer took a flashlight photograph of the hall with the dancers.

The Wabash company gave the men everything they could wish for. As many as possible were let off. They furnished them all that they wanted of the company goods, and the men were enthusiastic at the treatment. The following were the committees who had charge of the dance:

Master of Ceremonies—J. N. Edwards.

General committee—C. W. Schmugge, chairman; S. G. Brecount, W. B. Gonnig, S. E. Callahan, J. R. Dempster, W. G. House, John Bartholomew, O. W. Lean.

Reception committee—J. W. Brant, chairman; E. J. Wilkins, E. D. Smith, J. P. Hine, J. W. Knowlton, Jerry Sweeny, John Filbert, Chas. Zindell, T. C. Russell.

Floor committee—E. E. Fair, chairman; Ed. Phipps, Nelson Lock, H. E. Cowles, Wm. Reedy, Lee Wetz, Warren Fogwell, James Wood, Harry Stigall.

Invitation committee—D. R. Talbott, chairman; J. F. Ryall, L. D. Fullmer, R. T. Parker, Joe Cox, J. C. Judge, D. F. Gonware, A. F. McDonald, T. H. Menifee, Andy Johann, Thos. Burns, James Goodrich.

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HOME FOR WINTER.

George D. Steele, who has been with the executive staff of the John Robinson show, arrived in Decatur Monday to spend the winter. The circus closed the season a few days ago in Chattanooga, Tenn.

BACK TO LIVE HERE.

Arthur Fullmer, who has ben conducting a cigar store in St. Louis, has returned to Decatur with his wife and they will reside here in the future.

FLORAL ICE BOX.

Swan Peterson, the florist on Merchant street, has put a handsome new ice box in his store. It is of adequate size and will be used to keep the flowers fresh.

ANOTHER GOOD SHOWING.

... regular monthly contest of ... Short Hand at the Brown's ... College, Miss Jessie Fell and ... received honorable men- ... contest includes all the ... the United States. The first ... won by a young lady in Cali- ... month Will Grout of the ... this city took the prize.

ALBERT GILLIE HERE.

... Gillie, formerly a clerk in the ... department of Linn & Scruggs, and who was seriously injured in a wreck in New York, was in the city yesterday on business. Although Mr. Gillie shows a number of scars from the accident, he looks apparently as well as ever.

TWO MONKS.

Fred Litterer's menagerie at the waterworks has been augmented by the addition of two monkeys.

AS ROUTE AGENT.

D. J. Kenney, who has been connected with the city office of the Pacific Express company for some years past, will leave the first of the month to take a position as route agent on the Cincinnati, Richmond and Muncie railroad.

HAS RESIGNED.

D. A. Strader has resigned his position in the office of the Haworth-Check Rower company.

FREE DELIVERY.

Free mail delivery at Taylorville goes into effect on Monday.

Sullivan has an evening newspaper, the Daily Post, edited by W. A. McClure and Arthur Creech.

The Pension board yesterday examined three applicants for increases in their pensions.

George H. Moore and wife will attend the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. John Lee at Buffalo today. Mr. Moore is a nephew of Mr. Lee.

Miss Alice Ruddock is visiting the family of her uncle, Aleck Nebinger in Springfield.

C. A. Brown and wife of Mt. Auburn were shopping in the city yesterday.

John Page of Davenport is in the city the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bailey.

Miss Emma Wicks is a new operator with the Central Union Telephone company.

Ralph Record has resigned his position with the Bachman Bros. & Martin Co. He will leave on Tuesday to take a good position at Jennings, La.

Miss Mary Belle Clokey returned yesterday after a visit with friends in Indiana and Ohio.

Mrs. L. E. Down of Bloomington, who has ben visiting in the city, left for Kirksville, Mo.

Mrs. Mollie Withrow, daughter Mabel and son George of Springfield, are visiting in the city.

Miss Leva Ashton will go to Clinton today and Miss Carrie Ashton will visit friends in Argenta.

Oscar Creekmur was the guest of the Misses McDonald's yesterday on his way home to Oreana, from Eureka college.

Mrs. Malinda L. Travis of Mt. Zion, has returned home after a visit to her daughter, Miss Zelma Travis, of Eldorado, Kansas.

Ed. Osborne will leave next week for the oil fields in Louisiana. He will be accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Knode of Indianapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Fallon left yesterday for Grand Rapids, Mich., where Mr. Fallon has taken charge of the Champion company's business.

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Admiral Dewey is again at sea.

Turkey prices roosted pretty high this Thanksgiving.

Havana does her street car strike up in an a la St. Louis wrapper.

I can see no reason for Thanksgiving. —The Turkey.

No doubt the Vanderbilts gave Anne Carrie the horse show laugh.

Democrats are enjoying Thanksgiving. It might have been worse.

The world's war on turkey today does not in the least alarm the sultan.

The only good trust is a dead one in the estimation of President Roosevelt.

President Roosevelt's motto is "The trusts must go." Why not reform them?

Cuba seems to know how to enjoy a street car strike like any other republic.

A good many wise men will be surprised at how poor a guess they made on the president's message.

Speaker Henderson will soon pass into that oblivion he has so well earned in his play of the baby act.

The proceeds of Bloomington's charity ball were $2,000. This will warm many sad hearts during the coming winter.

There is a Chicago professor who thinks a family can live on $700 a year and save $100. It is safe to say this wise man never tried it.

When Illinois turned her artillery loose on the speakership there was speedy capitulation on the terms of unconditional surrender.

Frick proposes to make Carnegie's Pittsburg gifts look like small potatoes and few in a hill. Go it Frick, go it Carnegie. Pittsburg can stand it.

Gov. Yates appears to be on the way to recovery. It is not likely, however, that he can do much governing before the New Year is several months old.

Septimus Winner author of the Mocking Bird has just died. He sold his production for $35.00. The publisher netted $3,000,000 on the popular song. It was a winner.

Senator Allison the leader of the senate thinks a tariff commission would be futile. He has been in the senate for thirty years and has seen many tariff commissions in his day.

Mayor Harrison of Chicago appears to have warmed a serpent in his bosom to smite him in the day of its power. He helped elect Barrett sheriff. The only democratic office now repays his benefactor by using the patronage of his office to slay the mayor.

There will be a vacancy in the appellate court for this district owing to the appointment of Judge Wright to the court of claims. The choice of his successor will lie between Judge Cochran, Judge Johns and Judge Wright's successor. In point of service Judge Cochran would be in line as the senior member. However, the choice is not always made by seniority of service.

The choice of Judge Wright to the court of claims is a wise one. He is an able man and stands high in public estimation. The position has a good salary attached and is for life and requires a residence in Washington. The court consists of three members. Judge Lawrence Weldon of Bloomington is another justice of this court. It will thus be seen that Illinois is highly favored in Judge Wright's appointment. Congressmen Warner and Cannon are undoubtedly the active agents in securing this place to Judge Wright.

The appointment of Judge Francis M. Wright of Urbana to the U. S. court of claims will make a new element in the judicial election next June. Judge Wright will probably resign and Governor Yates will appoint some one to serve until the next election. It is believed that Gov. Yates will name Roy Wright, son of the retiring circuit judge, Champaign county is conceded one of the three judges. There is little doubt of the election next year of the man named by the governor to serve out the unexpired term of Judge Wright.

A Pekin jury has just held a beauty doctor of Peoria to the grand jury for offering patent a preparation warranted to preserve her good looks. A queer story comes from Paris regarding the efforts of Miss Gladys Deacon, said to be the handsomest American girl in Europe. She had a pure Grecian profile except at the point where the nose joins the forehead there was a small, scarcely noticeable, depression. An artist told her that if this defect were remedied her face would be absolutely perfect. So Miss Deacon went to a quack doctor, who injected beneath the tissues a mixture of paraffine and vaseline, calculated to fill up the depression. Miss Deacon was delighted, but in a short time inflammation set in at that point and she went to a regular physician, and he told her that she had necrosis of the bone. Medical experts were called in, but the disease is making rapid progress, and the prospect is that Miss Deacon will not only lose her beauty but her life. A more striking example of the sense in the old adage, "Let well enough alone," would be hard to find.

THE NORMAN CASE.

The decision of the case against Mr. Norman will meet general approval. The suit was tried in the circuit court twice. The first time Judge Vail set aside the verdict of the jury because it was not sustained by the evidence. Now the appellate court after a second trial has done the same thing. If under the facts in this case Mr. Norman could be required to pay heavy damages it would be perilous for any one to attempt to operate any kind of machinery or push any enterprise. Mr. Norman was in no way directly concerned in the distressing accident that maimed the boy for life. This suit is off the piece with a brood of personal injury and damage cases that are little short of hold-ups. The fact that a railroad or other corporation is the defendant makes them common prey for designing people. Many cases of this kind are brought on shares and are largely matters of speculation. There is growing up a considerable sentiment of hostility to that class of litigation that is stirred up in every community. The county is at great expense and the defendants are compelled to pay large sums in attorney fees and expenses. Even when they win the attorney fees and other expenses are enormous. No one should be prevented from prosecuting any case where there has been reason given for the suit. Yet there should be some more stringent regulations adopted whereby those who prosecute these speculative cases on a percentage should be bound to reimburse the costs and damages the defendant sustains. The court could assess the damages on the facts shown.

A JOKER'S JOKE.

It is difficult for some newspapers to keep their editorial and news departments in harmony. The Decatur democratic organ is a case in point. In its Monday issue it has under a scare head an account of the injunction proceedings at Sullivan to stop the bull fight. On the editorial page the Review's funny editor got loose and indulged in many pleasantries of the expense of the gullible people who might believe the news story told on the preceding page. The glaring head lines read "Against the fight. Injunction is issued at Sullivan. Pushers say fight goes." On the following page the Review the editor says,

"Here is a chance for the Sullivan jokers to get out another piece of advertising matter: it is worth while to invest another $2 in this. It may be stated that the Mexican matador who was expected lost his life in a bull fight in his own country but the game will go on just the same in Moultrie. The bull will be turned loose and Colonel Oglesby and others, possibly, from the governor's office will be on hand to see that he does no harm to the people. In the posters the colonel can be dressed in his regimentals or in the costume of the Mexicans, for the colonel will look splendid in either, and after the people have seen the thing properly illustrated they may conclude there is no bull in Moultrie county that will stand the least chance against a combination of that kind.

Referring again to the news column page 3 the reader is regaled by the "Sullivan jokers" as follows: "The two Mexican bulls that were to be used in the fight are already here and so are the men that were to take part in the fight." It gives the name of the man who owns the bulls as Kiag Carlo. Now the question is does the news column tell the truth or is the editor merely joking? Possibly the temptation to have fun with Col. Oglesby was so strong that the Review editor could not resist the temptation to ignore the facts in the case. Gov. Yates and Col. Oglesby are to be commended for their willingness to prevent a lot of cheap gamblers and like amusement promoters from scandalizing so good a town as Sullivan.

The turkey is less fortunate than the Mississippi bear.

Congress should waste little time in passing the anti-anarchy bill.

Congressman Warner is again in Washington ready to serve his constituents.

It is not expected that the president will have much to say about Mississippi bear hunting in his message.

Mr. Edwards should refresh his recollection with the fact that Jim Gray never loses. At least hardly ever.

The president is again in Washington and things will be moving from this on until congress meets next Monday.

The independent coal operators object to the settlement of the coal question without their participation in it.

Lige Dowie worshipped yesterday by abusing Gen. Booth, the Greek church and the labor unions. None of them is ever likely to find it out.

On the theory that peace depends on the best equipment for war, Herr Krupp was the greatest peacemaker of the age.

The manager of Handel Hall in Chicago refused to allow Emma Goldman the use of that auditorium last Sunday. Every public hall should be closed to this she-devil of anarchy.

Mr. Bryan has written a full half-column editorial in the esteemed Commoner the tenor, import and effect of which is that so long as he stands on the Kansas City platform no new Moses is needed.

Chicago can distance any competitor. Where is the city that can equal the daring and celerity of the crook who stole a Chicago mail wagon in open daylight and rifled the mail bags [illegible] The driver left the wagon standing until he went inside. When he came back it was all over.

Bloomington swell society gave a charity ball on Monday night. The proceeds were large and go into the treasury of the Bureau of Associated Charities for the relief of the town's poor during the coming winter. This is a wise precaution and Decatur might take this as a pointer and proceed to make arrangements to carry on the excellent work so well done during the last two winters.

The ex-queen of the Sandwich Islands Liliuokalani is in Washington to get an allowance from the United States. She claims that she should be reimbursed for her lands. The United States acquired the Hawaiian country from a government established after the queen had been dethroned and at a time when she did not have even a tax title to a foot of land. Her claim should be classed along with Streeter's in Chicago.

An exchange says that Mayor Schmitz of San Francisco has decided that poker is not a game of chance, and he says he will not prosecute participants in the game. He declares that if there be anything in this round world that requires experience, skill, tact, knowledge and a good bank account, it is a game of poker. The mayor must have been sitting in with the boys to have arrived at this opinion.

Next Monday the four-year shift of county officers takes place at the court house. Mr. Dodd is the only one who succeeds himself. Mr. Joseph Miller as county treasurer retires and Mr. Raymond Moffett comes in. Mr. Lehman gives place to Mr. Thrift as sheriff. Mr. Keller surrenders the county school bureau to Mr. Jones. O. W. Smith becomes Judge Smith and Judge Hammer retires after long and efficient service. The old officers have been faithful public servants and have the universal esteem of the people.

It is reported that a number of capitalists have determined on starting a bank for women in New York city. It is believed that such an institution would attract over $5,000,000 in the first year. The presidency of the institution has been offered Mrs. Sarah S. Dick of Indiana, who has been for the past twenty-five years cashier of the First National Bank of Wabash. She is afflicted with ill health and has been obliged to decline the offer, but this does not mitigate against the work of establishing the bank. That is said to be an assured thing.

An exchange reports that in Kansas City a few days ago a man came home and found that his dinner was not ready. On this account he flew into a passion and beat his wife. He was taken before a justice and fined $500. Not being able to pay he was sent to jail, and it will take him a year to serve out the fine. Meantime the abused wife will suffer. Fining is all right in such cases, but something else is needed. The public whipping post is the medicine. It can be administered and the offender can go back to work and perform his duty in the way of providing food for his family.

A man went into a bank in Washington not long ago and said he wished to borrow $250 at the same time tendering his note endorsed by Congressman Cannon. The teller said he was sorry, but he could not cash the note. "The indorsement is perfectly good," he said, "but suppose you should fail to pay we could hardly call upon Mr. Cannon. You see, he is chairman of the committee on appropriations and we have to go before that body two or three times a year to request favorable action on certain legislation. Therefore we could hardly ask Mr. Cannon to 'make good,' you know." The stranger said quietly: "Then I suppose I better tell Mr. Cannon that you refuse to accept his indorsement." The $250 was forthcoming in a hurry.

The Water street merchants get the postoffice without asking for it.

Well, Teddy, I got some ducks even if you couldn't bring down a bear. —Grover.

When Uncle Sam gets ready to move his postoffice he does it without asking anybody.

The smell of escaping gas is noticed all over Delaware. Addicks should be piped into the Atlantic.

The populists swallowed the democrats in 1896. The socialists are likely to gobble them up in 1904.

It is always a relief when Thanksgiving is over. It marks the end of the slaughter of the innocents on the gridiron.

Carrie Nation has sued Murat Halstead for libel. It is too bad to have these old women fussing at each other.

The re-election of Gompers by a unanimous vote after Shaffer's attack was as remarkable as it was complimentary.

It looks a little queer to see good, sizzling republican editorials in the old rock-ribbed democratic Peoria Herald-Transcript.

It is noticed that few political lightning rods are being erected in Ohio in consequence of the talk of the retirement of Mark Hanna.

November has hit Hicks a solar plexus blow as a weather guesser. Still he will probably guess again. There are millions in it.

The time is at hand when Dalzell of Pennsylvania and Payne of New York should yield gracefully to the inevitable—that is to Joe Cannon.

Carrie Nation may be a crank and all that, but she told the Vanderbilts some homely, blunt gospel truths at the New York horse show the other day.

St. Louis has a few rascals yet unconvicted but give Mr. Folk a chance to catch his breath and he will finish the job. St. Louis is setting the rest of the country a noble example.

The "Beef-trust case" is to be heard by Judge Grosscup December 16. Considering the prices of meat the injunction does not appear to have enjoined to any great event.

Elder Smoot denies the charge that he has more than one wife. It is really difficult to understand why even one woman should want to be labelled Smoot.

Col. Watterson denies that he has nominated Gorman for president. Possibly Gorman has asked the Kentucky colonel to withdraw his suggestion for the good of the cause.

The wild revel of new breakfast foods has been caused by the high prices of meats. People eat too much meat and have discovered that they can be more healthy with a large vegetable diet.

John L. Sullivan has quit buying distilleries on the European plan and is giving monologues for a living. The ex-fighter is growing wiser in his advancing years.

Krupp was the greatest maker of great guns in the world. Krupp is dead but his guns will continue to slay their thousands. He was the richest man in Germany. Surely the business of war pays in dollars if in no other way.

In the late election for members of the legislature the republicans nominated 90 candidates for representative and elected 89. One was defeated. This was Mr. Phister of Chicago. This is a remarkable result and one almost unparalleled in the history of elections in any party.

The remaining official days of Billy Mason will be days of grief. He will no doubt undertake to make considerable noise and confusion. He has nothing to lose. He might as well stay in Chicago and have his salary mailed to him.

Who would have thought that in the heart of Central Illinois a bull fight would be contemplated? Gov. Yates' interposition is timely and will meet the hearty approval of all good people. Such barbarism might be expected in Spain or Mexico, but in the heart of our own great state such a suggestion is monstrous.

Never in its history has this nation had more reason for profound thanksgiving than now. Every department of industry, every branch of business, and every worthy enterprise is running at the full tide of prosperity. Every man in America who wants work can find employment at remunerative wages. Idle men are so because they are shiftless or lazy. The farmers have a bumper crop at big prices. The nation is at peace at home and abroad. What more can be asked? Pessimists please answer. In the meantime let all give thanks.

People wonder what Mrs. Molineux would have done if her husband had been found guilty and executed. Would she have gone through the forms and ceremonies of mourning or would she have maintained a stately indifference? Of course these questions can not be answered. As soon as her husband is acquitted she hies herself away to South Dakota the state in which she can soonest acquire a residence as the foundation for a divorce. During both trials and especially the second Mrs. Molineux was ever present as the heart broken, loyal wife. Her actions since her husband's liberty is gained point strongly to the wife as a hypocrite. At any rate the sensation did not end with Molineux's acquittal.

ENGLISH STATESMANSHIP.

In England a man isn't considered to be a first class statesman unless he can write an article on Greek architecture or pick up some trivial question on one of the fads of the day. Arthur Balfour, who is now at the very apex of power in the English parliament, at a time when the debate upon the Irish question was hottest and fiercest, wrote a magazine article on the standardization of golf balls, says the Peoria Star. Fancy Joe Cannon stopping in the midst of his strenuous efforts to keep down the appropriations within the limits, and sitting up nights to write an article on ping-pong. To be sure, when Tom Reed was speaker he used to eke out his income by writing magazine articles, but they were always in the line of his work, and in discussing some questions of statesmanship. He didn't have time to bother with smaller questions of amusement, and it would appear to the ordinary man that Balfour might occupy his mind in seeking to settle the Irish question on the broad basis of equity and justice, rather than to evade this duty by studying up the proper weight, size and material which should constitute a golf ball. For three hundred years Ireland has been a withered and distorted member of the British union, mainly because the plainest principles of equity and good common sense have never been exercised in dealing with Ireland. Her trade and manufactures have always been crippled by hostile legislation supposed to be in the interest of English producers, and even now it is hard for the British house of commons to discuss rationally any question where Irish interests are concerned. There are things in this world of even more importance than golf.

AGREED ON GUILT

But Jury Could Not Agree On the Degree to Which Johnson Was Liable.

ONE VERDICT WAS DECLINED.

Frank Liston Has a Hearing—Herman Pleads to Disorderly.

Percy C. Johnson is in the county jail to await a hearing at the January term of court on the charge of burglary and larceny. The jury which heard the evidence against him during the last few days, agreed that he was guilty. There was no question on that score but they could not agree on the degree of guilt. Eleven of the jurors wanted to return a verdict that the defendant was guilty of grand larceny and one man insisted that it was petty larceny. That difference didn't amount to much but it was a question if Johnson should go to jail or to the penitentiary. One man held out for a jail sentence and the result was that the jury were discharged.

They were not relieved until adjournment hour last night. They were willing earlier in the day to be discharged and sent in a verdict: "We, the jury, agree to disagree." Judge Cochran of course declined to receive any such verdict as that and suggested that further time be given to the careful consideration of the case. Rather than keep them locked up over Thanksgiving day the jury was called in at night and after saying in reply to the question of the court that an agreement was impossible they were discharged.

Frank Liston, who was caught in the act of robbing Bell's drug store had a trial Wednesday. At a late hour last night the jury in that case had not agreed.

Patrick, alias Herman, the man arrested during carnival week for having burglar tools in his possession, was permitted to enter a plea of guilty to the charge of disorderly conduct. He was sentenced to pay a fine of $25 and costs and in default of that sum went to jail.

The docket orders entered yesterday were as follows:

Criminal.

Percy C. Johnson; burglary and grand larceny. Jury comes into open court and the court being satisfied they cannot agree, they are by the court discharged.

Roger L. Patrick alias Herman; having burglar tools in his possession. Plea of not guilty withdrawn. Defendant pleads guilty to disorderly conduct and is fined $25 and costs and to stand committed.

Frank Liston, burglary and larceny. Trial by jury. Jury retired.

Chancery.

Sophia Ahrens vs. Frank Waller; foreclosure. Referred to master.

Arthur S. Dumont vs. H. J. Haugland et al; bill of discovery. Rule to close evidence extended to Dec. 10, 1902.

Jeremiah Turpin, trustee, vs. Fannie Wilson; bill to construe trust deed. Leave to amend the intervening petition of George J. Dorrell, administrator.

Daniel S. Weigel vs. John F. Weigel et al, partition. Master's report approved. Cause heard and decree of partition. W. W. Foster, Dan Moore and Jerome Smallwood appointed commissioners.

TOO COLD.

Weather Interfered with Effective Work at Cerro Gordo Traps.

There was a shooting match at Cerro Gordo Tuesday. A number of Decatur shooters attended. On their return home they said that the temperature was so low that they could not shoot up to the standard. The pleasant weather which has been so long continued this fall left them ill prepared to face a blizzard and do any good shooting. Then too, the wind was high and that prevented anything like clean scores. Yates VanCundy made the high run, 27, and P. Keister of Decatur had the high average. Among the other Decatur shooters were G. Rupert, A. R. Killer, T. C. Stoner, Tom Williams and J. Barnes.

Cooper is Worried.

Tom Cooper, one of the party of Decatur hunters shooting near Latham on Tuesday, is worried. A published account of the hunt said that farmers suspected the hunters of killing domestic chickens and wanted the suspects searched, but the latter fled.

Cooper protested that the story is not true.

First Game.

The All Stars indoor ball team have secured the Dennie hall for Friday nights and Sunday afternoons. They will play their first game on Friday night. The hall will be fitted up so a large number of spectators can be accommodated.

Received Commissions.

Yesterday County Clerk Dodd delivered to the newly elected county officers, their commissions which arrived the day before from the governor's office at Springfield.

Nearing a Close.

Things are getting interesting in the Folrath word contest. The best people in the city have taken the matter up in a spirit of sport and replies are plenty indeed. Any quantity are duplicates of each other, showing that no special effort has been made to find an uncommon name. Again many are not intelligible to an ordinary soul. There are so many named shoes that a new, attractive and applying name is not easy to find, and considerable of an effort only will land that $10 bill. The contest closes on November 30.

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NEARBY TOWNS

Maroa.

At the regular meeting of the city council on Monday evening the Citizens' Mutual Telephone company of Macon county presented a petition to the council to grant them a franchise to enter the city, place poles, string wires thereon and to establish and operate an exchange and switchboard in the city for the period of twenty years. The petition and ordinance were referred to a special committee, consisting of W. H. Stonebraker and J. C. Vaughn, with instructions to report at the next regular meeting to be held on the fourth Monday in December. Under the rules of the council no ordinance granting a franchise can be passed on the same evening it is introduced. The Citizens' Mutual Telephone company of Macon county is composed of farmers of Maroa and Austin townships.

Hon. T. N. Leavitt was in Pearl on Monday on business.

W. H. Parker returned on Tuesday morning from an extended trip through Iowa.

Dr. Anderson returned on Monday evening from Houston, Texas.

The public schools will close for the week on Wednesday afternoon. Thanksgiving exercises will be held Wednesday afternoon in the various rooms.

D. N. Gray, cashier of the Citizens' bank, was in Monticello on Tuesday on business.

Mrs. A. H. Varney of Ramsey came to Maroa on Tuesday to visit friends.

Mrs. Lydia E. Bates of Decatur was in Maroa on Tuesday.

J. P. Parker has opened a feed store in the Persinger building on First South street.

Amos Vanhorn will move to J. P. Parker's farm in Pleasant View township.

Elder Mavity, a former pastor of the Maroa Christian church, now a resident of Bement, preached last Sunday at the Christian church in this city.

Mrs. Seybold, mother of Mrs. J. H. Sterling, left on Tuesday for her home at Leavenworth, Kan.

Mrs. Will Potter, Jr., is on the sick list.

Miss Sylvia Pogue entertained the members of the Young Ladies' club on Monday evening.

Union Thanksgiving services will be held at the Presbyterian church Thursday at 11 o'clock. Elder S. E. Fisher will preach the sermon.

Emerson Vandervoort and family of Clinton were visiting Maroa friends over Sunday.

Miss Emma Martins of Peoria is visiting the family of J. P. Bean.

H. P. Grady visited in Argenta over Sunday.

The Women's Missionary society of the M. E. church will give an entertainment at the Methodist church in Maroa on the evening of the 3d inst. An interesting program will be rendered.

A number of the personal friends of Sheriff-elect Hoff of Dewitt county attended a reception given by him at his home north of Maroa on last Saturday evening.

Mrs. S. H. Covault returned on Monday from an extended visit to Wisconsin.

Thomas Costello is in Chicago on business.

There is talk of an elegant new hotel building for Maroa next spring.

Elliott James went to Monticello on business on Tuesday.

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CONSULTED LORENZ.

Celebrated European Specialist Examines Cecil Bohon.

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NEARBY TOWNS

Maroa.

[illegible] meeting of the city ... Monday evening the Citizens ... telephone company of ... presented a petition to ... grant them a franchise ... place poles, string ... to establish and operate ... switchboard in ... period of twenty years. ... were referred to committee, consisting ... W. H. Stoutenburg and J. C. ... instructed to report ... to be held ... Monday in December. ... the council to order ... franchise can be ... It is intended ... Citizens Mutual Telephone ... of Macon county is ... of Maroa and ...

[illegible] N. Ewart was in Peoria ... on business.

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The public schools will close for the ... Wednesday afternoon. ... will be held ... afternoon in the various ...

[illegible] cashier of the Citizens' ... was in ... on Tuesday ...

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[illegible] will move to J. P. ... Pleasant View township.

[illegible] former pastor of the ... church, now a resident ... preached last Sunday ... in this city.

[illegible] mother of Mrs. J. H. ... on Tuesday for her home ... Kan.

[illegible] Will ... Jr., is on the sick ...

[illegible] Pogue entertained the ... the Young Ladies' club on ... evening.

[illegible] Thanksgiving services will be ... the Presbyterian church Thursday ... o'clock. Elder S. E. Fisher ... the sermon.

[illegible] and family ... visiting Maroa friends ...

[illegible] Martin of Peoria is visiting ... of J. P. Bean.

[illegible] visited in Argenta over ...

[illegible] Woman's Missionary society of ... church will give an entertainment ... at the Methodist church in ... on the evening of the 3d inst. ... program will be rendered.

[illegible] of the personal friends of ... of Dewitt county attended ... given by him at his ... of Maroa on last Saturday ...

[illegible] H. Covault returned on ... from an extended visit to ...

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Preparations are complete for ... city meet to be held at Jacksonville Friday between Springfield, Decatur and Jacksonville Y. M. C. A. The team will leave this city ... Friday morning and the basket ball ... between the Decatur and ... associations will occur in ... afternoon at 1 o'clock. Springfield ... entered for the basket ball ... The events to be contested ... Pole vault, running high jump, standing high jump, running long ... potato race, apparatus ... The prizes in each event are silver and bronze medals, respectively for first, second and third. For the basket ball game an ... trophy is offered.

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Team No. 1.	Position.	Team No. 2.
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[illegible] time jellies have always been ... favorites with all classes of ... as they lend themselves to such ... variety of forms and combinations, ... the clear sparkling lemon jelly ... elaborate and artistic moulded ... on which the chef delights in. ... however, of the old uncertain and laborious method of making ... the plain wine or fruit-flavored dessert jellies, made from calf's ... even the plain prepared gelatine and juices, which she must prepare from fresh or preserved fruits, housewife can now purchase a ... of whatever kind of dessert ... may desire, already sweetened ... and colored.

Chartreuse of Strawberries.

[illegible] is a beautiful dish quickly made ... a pint of boiling water to ... of the prepared strawberry ... moulding it in a fancy border ... When set turn out on a ... glass dish; fill the center with fresh strawberries, sugared if they ... sweet. Mask the berries with ... whipped cream and decorate ... base of the jelly with roses of ... cream made with pastry tube ... or a spoon.

Peaches of Jelly and Ice Cream.

[illegible] desires a dainty little fancy ... little dinner or lunch which can ... made at home, use either the ... raspberry or strawberry jelly, ... it into small moulds or cups ... have flat bottoms, making it ... still adding a little less than ... of water given in the accompanying recipe, unless the weather is very cold and clear and the jelly is to stand over night. When ready to serve the dessert turn the jelly out carefully; scoop out enough jelly with a teaspoon dipped in hot water, to make a cup of the jelly; fill this up with vanilla or strawberry ice cream, or a fruit whip or charlotte russe mixture and serve on lace paper doilies on fancy plates. The scooped out jelly may be served with whipped cream for dessert the next day.

Socially Speaking.

A confusion of handsome gowns, lights and flowers was presented at the delightful reception given Thursday afternoon at the beautiful home of Mrs. E. A. Miller in Riverside. The reception which was one of the largest social functions of the season was in honor of Mrs. E. T. Evans and Miss Ella Wilson and was given by Mrs. E. A. Miller, Mrs. Charles Radcliff, Mrs. Miller and Mrs. H. C. Starr. The hours were from 2 until 6 and over two hundred invitations were sent.

The house was beautifully decorated with palms, ferns and clematis. The curtains and folding doors were prettily draped with delicate sprays of clematis. The Conklin orchestra placed behind a screen of palms played during the afternoon.

The receiving party was stationed in the large hall. The hostesses and guests of honor were gowned as follows: Mrs. E. T. Evans wore her bridal gown, an elaborate creation of cream colored crepe de chine trimmed in duchess lace; Miss Wilson, pink crepe over pink silk trimmed in point lace, Mrs. E. A. Miller, dove colored satin foulard trimmed with lace and pendants Mrs. Radcliff, black peau de soie with point lace; Mrs. H. C. Starr, green satin foulard trimmed in cream applique lace; Mrs. Miller, Sr., black peau de soie with point lace.

The ladies who assisted in receiving were Mrs. C. A. Burks, Mrs. Harry Hamsher, Mrs. J. B. Bullard, Mrs. W. H. Starr, Mrs. C. G. Martin, Mrs. W. C. Bullard and Mrs. J. S. Starr.

The dining room was beautifully decorated with smilax and ferns and a magnificent bunch of chrysanthemums formed the principal ornament. A two course luncheon was daintily served at small tables and the appointments were complete. Mrs. Archie Wilson and Mrs. Robert Mueller presided at the coffee urns and Misses Edith Starr, Ida Mills, Ada Johnson, Nita Bullard, Stella Jenkins and Lida Martin and Mrs. Grace Reed assisted in serving the guests. Mrs. Snyder catered.

In the drawing room Miss Grace Bullard of Mechanicsburg, Miss Ada Starr and Mrs. Ada Somerville served frappe with pineappe sherbet and wafers.

The Art and Literature division of the Woman's club held an "At Home" Tuesday afternoon which proved a most delightful affair. There were present a large number of guests and the program as printed in the Herald Sunday was carried out in an interesting and enjoyable manner.

During the afternoon refreshments of coffee and sandwiches were served. The refreshments were in charge of Mrs. F. M. Anderson, Mrs. Dan Tait and Miss Stella Brooks. Two new members were added to the division Tuesday.

MODERN AMERICANS.

Had a Pleasant Sociable On Monday Evening.

The Modern American Fraternal Order held its regular meeting last night and followed the meeting with a box social. The boxes were prettily decorated and all brought good prices. The society made $11.50 from the sale of these. The following program was rendered:

Vocal Solo—Charles Beckman.
Recitation—Miss Laura Ricketts.
Duet—Mrs. Gucker and Mrs. Montgomery.
Recitation—Miss Ruth Hoyland.
Vocal Solo—Mrs. Ethel Voelcher.
Recitation—Mrs. Dora Tabor.
Vocal Solo—Miss Faith McGraw.
Instrumental Solo—Miss Maud Howse.
Recitation—Mrs. F. B. Jones.
Vocal Solo—Mrs. Carrie Gucker.

There was an old fashioned spelling match. Miss Dora Speelman and Miss Maud Howse chose sides.

Mrs. J. H. Ricketts was in charge of the refreshments of ice cream and cake.

HEAT FOR LIBRARY.

Apparatus Will Be Put in at Once—Contractor Here.

The steam heater for the Carnegie library has arrived and will be put up at once. The main pipes and the connections are already in and by the time the radiators are set steam will be ready to be turned on. A gang of men is at work on the basement preparing it for the cement floors. The stack room will be done first. The partitions are all set and the lathing is about completed. Two men worked yesterday cleaning and pointing up the north wall and the work makes a good deal of improvement in the appearance of the stone which was soiled and stained by the earth. Yesterday was pay day on the job and Contractor Jobst was here from Peoria to look over the work.

NOT FOR SALE.

Traction Company Petition Is In Its Own Behalf.

Last night W. L. Shellabarger, secretary of the Decatur Traction company, said: "Some persons entertain the idea that the right of way for which the Traction company is petitioning on East William street is for an interurban company. Why that idea should be entertained I do not know. We want to extend the lines according to the program we have announced and are not working in the interest of any interurban or against any interurban company. We expect to give a better service in the eastern part of the city and to that extent will help that part of the city and give them a better service than they had ever had before.

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WELL KNOWN CITIZEN DEAD

S. Chappell, for Thirty Years Resident of This City, Died Tuesday Night.

DEATH OF MRS. MARY E. PEASE.

S. Chappell died Tuesday evening at his home, 2145 East William street, aged 67 years. His death was due to a complication of diseases. A wife, Anna Chappell, and four children survive him. They are H. C. and Charles Chappell, Mrs. Anna Stivers and Miss Blanche Chappell. He is also survived by two grandchildren, William and Robert Stivers.

Mr. Chappell was one of the best known men in Decatur, where he had lived for the past thirty years. During that time he has been engaged in the dairy business and for years was a familiar figure on the streets of the city. The time of the funeral will be announced later.

Mrs. Mary E. Pease.

Mrs. Mary E. Pease, wife of W. E. Pease, died Tuesday morning at the family residence, 836 West Packard street, of congestion of the lungs, following a long illness with heart disease.

Mrs. Pease was born in Decatur, September 18, 1869. Her maiden name was Mary E. Vest, daughter of Toliver Vest. She was married to W. E. Pease July 14, 1887. Two children have preceded her to the other world and she leaves with her husband one little boy, Earl, six years old and two step sons, Arthur and Roy Pease. A sister, Mrs. T. B. Landreth, and a brother, Thomas Vest of Quincy, and one half sister, Mrs. Jennie Mills, of Decatur, survive her.

She was converted during the Harrison revival of 1883 and united with the Methodist church, with which she was connected at the time of her death. She was also a member of Progress lodge, No. 141, Daughters of Rebekah.

The funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence, 836 West Packard street. Rev. Wm. Brandon will officiate, assisted by Rev. J. W. McDonald of the Cumberland Presbyterian church and Rebekah lodge. Friends of the family invited.

THE SHOE STRING BELT

Made By Braiding a Dozen Strings Together.

Last year it was the shoe string shopping bag this year the thing is a shoestring belt or hat band. They are made by flat braiding eight to twelve strings in a band. For the belt the tabs are left on, but for the hat band they are removed and the strands are frayed to make a fringe. With a white felt hat and a variegated band a novel effect can be produced. The strings come in almost all colors and in mixed effects and can be purchased to match any dress pattern. The strings sell for from one to three cents apiece and a belt costs from 19 to 35 cents.

No Gravity There.

Henry S. Pritchett, president of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, was at one time instructor of physics in a small preparatory school.

On one occasion a student seemed unusually dense in grasping a fundamental law of gravitation, and the professor said to him:

"You do not seem to understand when I say that the attractive force of gravity causes objects thrown in the air to fall back to the earth again. You must take my word for it. Have you never heard the saying that 'whatever goes up comes down.'"

The student seemed no better off than before. "But is that true everywhere?" he asked.

The professor was on the point of answering yes, when a joke flashed into his mind, and, unable to let the opportunity pass, out he came with it.

"No, there is one exception," he said smiling; "on shipboard. There everything that goes down comes up."—Philadelphia Ledger.

A Fourth Car.

The Traction company has put a fourth car on the main line and at present is running all cars to the turn. Later the cars will be run to the Wabash with through cars at certain times. This arrangement gives a seven-minute service on the main line and will give a car at the depot almost constantly.

Baseball Gossip.

President Sexton, with whom the matter of choosing the cities to be given franchises in the Three-I league in place of Evansville and Terre Haute has been left, will shortly make a tour of the six cities that have signified a desire to get the vacant berths for the purpose of ascertaining just what each has to offer. The cities he will visit are Springfield, Quincy, Ottumwa, Dubuque, Elgin and Joliet. The questions taken into consideration will include population, transportation facilities, ability to meet conditions and baseball enthusiasm. No town will be taken into consideration if unable to post a $500 forfeit and come up with a subscription list of $2,000 to open the season with.—Rock Island Argus.

A clergyman of Philadelphia, a widower with seven grown-up daughters, left home for Phoenixville, his native town, and wrote back that he had some news which would surprise them. He had just married a widow with six children. The seven grown-up daughters had an awful time until he returned home—alone.

One of them mustered up courage to ask "Where is our mother?" "In heaven, I hope." "But I mean the widow with six children that you married." "Oh, I married her to another man.—Philadelphia Ledger.

In the Harness Again.

J. Edward Saxton will today take a position with L. Chodat. He will have charge of the stationery and book department. Mr. Saxton has wide experience in this line of business.

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THE DAY IN COURT

Minnie Glenn Acquitted on the Charge of Larceny—The Johnson Jury Still Ponders.

DUGGAN HELD FOR CONTEMPT.

Program for Today—Joe Dansby Will Not Be Indicted—Yancy Goes to the Pen.

After being out only a short time last evening the jury which heard the evidence against Minnie Glenn, charged with stealing a jacket from the Gushard store, returned a verdict of not guilty. Marshal C. Griffin who defended the girl, assisted by Robert Vail, was in high feather last night. The girl was arrested with the jacket in her possession. A few days ago Griffin defended Burns, the man who was arrested for having in his possession three bolts of goods stolen from a Wabash car. The question is what sort of a spell does Griff put on the juries which hear these cases.

Can't Agree.

The jury which heard the evidence against Percy Johnson, the hotel thief, is still out having retired Tuesday afternoon. Johnson was defended by Messrs. Fitzgerald, Adams and Robt. Gray. Judge Vail will hold court in Sullivan today and last evening Johnson was taken into the court room where an agreement was made that if the jury did not agree until after Judge Cochran went on the bench he might receive the verdict.

For Contempt.

On an attachment issued from the circuit court of Moultrie county, Michael Duggan, Sr., was arrested late Monday night and lodged in the county jail. Tuesday afternoon he came into court and Judge Vail admitted him to bail in the sum of $100.

Duggan is one of the famous litigants of Moultrie county and now, as for many years is engaged in a bout with the village of Dalton City about his right to some streets. He claims the street is not public property and fences it in. The court of Moultrie issued an injunction ordering him to keep his fences down until the case was decided, but Duggan put them up without regard for what the court said. Hence a bench warrant was issued for his arrest. Messrs. A. G. Webber and T. F. Drew became sureties for Duggan.

Today's Program.

Today Herman alias Patrick, will be arraigned on a charge of having burglar tools in his possession. He was arrested here during carnival week. In his room were found a number of tools which the police declare are used by professional burglars. The accused has steadily refused to give any account of himself or tell his real name, admitting that the one given is assumed.

Following the case of Herman will come young Liston who is held for robbing the Bell drug store. There are six separate cases against that young man and it has not been determined if they will be tried separately or if all shall be heard as one.

Adjournment in Sight.

It is possible that the grand jury may adjourn today. At least that was the prediction made by members of that body last night. With one exception the jurors have finished all of the business before them.

It is likely that Joe Dansby who is in jail to await an investigation of the charge that he made an assault with a deadly weapon, will not be indicted.

At the time of Dansby's arrest the newspaper accounts were to the effect that he acted in self defense and that he did not use a weapon until after he had been repeatedly assaulted. A member of the grand jury said: "The evidence before the grand jury did not vary in the least from the stories related by the newspapers when the affair occurred so you may draw your own conclusions as to what the result will be."

Sentence Pronounced.

Stocker and Stevens who were convicted last week on the charge of grand larceny were in court Tuesday to receive their sentences. Being minors they will go to the reform school.

To the Pen.

Early this morning Sheriff Lehman departed for Chester having in custody Harry Yancy sentenced for robbing the Maris candy company. Yancy pleaded guilty and since that time has given the sheriff no peace being anxious to get away and begin his sentence. He realizes that he gets no credit for the time that he has been in jail and wants to begin on his "time." A more contrite prisoner never left the Macon county jail. Yancy realizes that he has made a grave mistake and looks forward eagerly to the time when he may return to Decatur and by good conduct live down the effects of his error.

The orders entered on the dockets Tuesday were as follows:

Criminal.

Michael Duggan; attachment. Bail fixed at $100. Recognizance in open court by defendant, A. G. Webber and T. F. Drew as sureties.

W. Stevens; burglary and larceny. Judgment that defendant be imprisoned in state reformatory at Pontiac on second count and pay costs and that he be imprisoned at the state reformatory on third count and pay costs, time on third count to begin at expiration of time of second count.

John Stocker; grand larceny. Judgment that defendant be imprisoned in the state reformatory at Pontiac and pay costs.

Minnie Roark alias Minnie Glenn; petty larceny. Trial by jury. Verdict of jury not guilty.

Percy C. Johnson: burglary and grand larceny. Trial by jury.

Deeds Recorded.

Harmon Meitz to Adolpha and Fred B. Ketcham, the west half of lot 1 in block 1, M. V. Barber's sub-division of the south part of the southeast quarter of section 3, township 16, range 2, east; $1400.

W. E. Nelson adm., to Robert J. Long, the southeast quarter of section 28, in township 18, range 1 east; $15,480.

Rosa May Jackson to J. D. Smider lots 9, 10, 11, and 12 in block 39 in Railroad addition to Macon also the north half of the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 33, township 15, range 2 east; $1700.

James P. Thorpe to Bridget Thorpe lot 2 in G. W. Handy's addition to Decatur; $1200.

REV. MOREY RESIGNS.

Pastor of Jacksonville Presbyterian Church Goes to New York.

Accepting the resignation of Rev. Alexander B. Morey, for eighteen years pastor of the State Street Presbyterian church at Jacksonville; examining and receiving into the church Evangelist William N. Conoley, now in Decatur; and appointing a committee to install Rev. James R. Kaye as pastor of the Lincoln Presbyterian church, were the principal items of business at the meeting of the Springfield presbytery yesterday.

The meeting was called to order at 10:30 o'clock in the morning in the First Presbyterian church. There were two sessions. The afternoon session opened at 2 o'clock and the entire day's business was concluded at 4 o'clock.

Rev. W. Francis Irwin, pastor of the Second Presbyterian church, is the moderator of the presbytery and, as such, was in the chair at yesterday's session. Rev. George C. Lenington, pastor of the Virginia Presbyterian church in that village, is stated secretary of the presbytery.

Resignation Was a Surprise.

The meeting had been called especially to receive Rev. Mr. Conoley into the church. The resignation of Rev. Mr. Morey of Jacksonville came as a surprise.

The pastor of the Jacksonville church, who asked the presbytery to receive his resignation, is one of the older church pastors of the state and one who has established something of a record for tenure of office. He leaves his old charge to accept a pastorate in the Otsega presbytery in New York state. His resignation takes effect next Sunday. A resolution in appreciation of Mr. Morey's long and faithful service was read and adopted by the presbytery.

The examination and reception into the church of Rev. Mr. Conoley and the appointment of a committee to install Rev. Mr. Kaye as pastor of the Lincoln church were among the last items of business of the morning session.—Springfield Journal.

High School Basket Ball Game.

The high school girls have organized a basket ball team to play the Decatur team. The local girls have been practicing hard the last few weeks for the game, which will take place on Friday, December 5, at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, at 8:30 p. m. A good game is expected as the Decatur team is very strong. Let every boy and girl of the high school turn out to see the game as the girls have a big expense to meet.—Springfield Register.

Fix Load For Teams.

The first official act of the Humane society recently organized passed the council. An ordinance amending the city code regarding the weight of a load for teams was passed. The amendment fixed the weight at 8,000 pounds for a team, and 4,000 for one horse. All members of the council voted in favor of the amendment.—Springfield Register.

MARRIED.

Ralston-Gibb.

At his office on East Main street last night Justice J. C. Hane married William D. Ralston and Mrs. Maude E. Gibbs. This is the third venture onto the troubled sea of matrimony for the bride. Ralston is better known as William Oren and is an experienced lather. The couple left last night for a short wedding trip to Canton, Ill.

At the Cumberland Presbyterian church Tuesday both the afternoon and evening meetings were well attended the afternoon meeting being devoted by Rev. Clark to "Bible Study." At night he spoke on "God's Love for the Wayward." There was an encouraging interest at these meetings. Today the meetings will be at the usual hours, 3 o'clock in the afternoon and 7:30 in the evening.

ST. JOHN'S PARISH MEETING

Vestrymen Elected and Annual Reports Made by Officers and Different Societies.

DELEGATES TO SYNOD NAMED.

The annual parish meeting of St. John's Episcopal church was held Monday evening for the transaction of business and the election of vestrymen. E. P. Bishop, rector's warden, presided, and Dr. J. S. King acted as secretary.

The report of the church treasurer was made by E. P. Bishop. Mrs. E. P. Bishop reported the work of the Woman's Auxiliary; Miss Maria Buckingham for the Sanctuary chapter and Mrs. Frank Roach for St. John's chapter. All of the reports were interesting and instructive.

The ballot for vestrymen resulted in the re-election of L. Burrows, E. P. Bishop, H. W. Housum, J. S. House and Dr. J. S. King. Seven other candidates failed to get a majority of the votes cast and were declared not elected.

The canon of the church governing the election of vestrymen specifically provides that they must receive a majority of the votes cast. As the normal vestry consists of seven or eight men the question has been raised since the result of the election was announced, whether in view of the fact that the five gentlemen elected succeed themselves, and no one has been elected to succeed the other two members of the old vestry, the latter do not hold over by virtue of the rule which provides that the officers of the church shall hold office until their successors are elected and qualified. It is pointed out that given a sufficient number of candidates and a small enough vote it would be possible to hold an election in which no one would be elected and as only one election can be held in any year the church would be without government if the old vestry did not hold over.

A meeting of the old and new vestrymen was held Tuesday evening and the old body closed up the business of the year and then the new vestry proceeded to organize by electing L. Burrows, parish warden; Dr. J. S. King, clerk, and E. P. Bishop, treasurer. Delegates to the meeting of the synod at Springfield, December 2d and 3d, were elected as follows. L. Burrows, Dr. J. S. King, H. W. Housum and E. P. Bishop. Messrs. Housum and Bishop were appointed to prepare a report to be submitted to the synod.

H. L. Oldham was appointed choirmaster for the ensuing year.

SUIT FOR BIG DAMAGES.

Brought by Fred Burtsch Against Jobst & Sons Contractors.

Fred Burtsch by his attorneys, Shelley Brothers, has brought a suit against Jobst & Sons, contractors, of the Library building. Butsch demands damages in the sum of $25,000. He is the bricklayer who fell from the building fifteen weeks ago and has since been disabled on account of a badly fractured arm. It is charged that he has been permanently crippled, his usefulness as a mechanic impaired, and in addition that he has suffered severe internal injuries.

MILLER-WILSON NUPTIALS.

Well Known Young Decatur People to Wed December 11.

The marriage of Miss Ella Wilson of Riverside to Dr. John T. Miller will be celebrated on the 11th of the coming month. The groom is one of the leading young physicians of the city.

Lemon Tartlets.

To make lemon tartlets line some patty pans with nice pastry and fill them with this mixture: Mix one and a half ounces of corn flour into a smooth paste and pour over it half a pint of boiling water. Sweeten to taste and boil for five minutes until the corn flour tastes thoroughly cooked. Take the pan from the fire and add the grated rind and juice of a lemon When cool, add the yolks of two eggs and stir well; lastly the whites beaten to a stiff froth. Fill the patty pans with this mixture and bake in a quick oven.

Some men take a mean advantage of their wives by wearing their hair short.

CONVERTS ARE MADE.

Good Results Follow the Revival Meetings.

Last night's union service at the First Methodist church was one in which there was manifest much greater interest than at any presiding service. At the after service there were several conversions, the new disciples giving their testimony for Him who had saved them. Rev. Bowyer's sermon was preached from the words: "When the burnt offering began, the song of the Lord began also," a part of II. Chron. 29, 27. He spoke of the conditions precedent to a revival, chief of which was the realization upon the part of the saved of the terrible condition of the unsaved. Then God's people getting themselves right with God and before man. This includes what always follows in such cases, the complete offering of self, the sacrificing of everything that God may be honored. This means that effective service will be rendered and that God will honor the efforts of such servants. When this offering is made, the song of the Lord will begin, and the songs of joy and praise will be heard from those who have given up all to follow Jesus.

Grace M. E.

Tuesday night's meeting at Grace M. E. church was one of the best yet held. The sermon delivered by Mr. Conoley on "Righteousness, Self Control and the Judgment" made a most solemn impression. The solo by Mr. Smith was appropriate. Conversions were reported and several were at the altar.

The afternoon service Tuesday was an important one. Evangelist Conoley preached on "Prayer." Services at 2:30 p. m. today and at 7:30 tonight.

CONFER WITH COMPANY.

Mueller Strikers and Employes Getting Together.

Yesterday the Mueller machinists and the coremakers met with the company. The machinists met in the morning and the coremakers in the afternoon. Both sides refused to make any statement as to the matters transacted. It is understood that propositions were made on both sides which it will take several days to consider.

The Board of Arbitration, who came here from Chicago on Monday, offered their service to the company. The company now has bright prospects of settling the strike and have not asked the arbitration board to assist them. The machinists will probably settle their differences today.

The coremakers are acting under the International Coremakers' union and while they can meet the company they have no power to settle the strike without the consent of the International union.

Startling, But True.

"If everyone knew what a grand medicine Dr. King's New Life Pills is," writes D. H. Turner, Dempseytown, Pa., "you'd sell all you have in a day. Two weeks' use has made a new man of me." Infallible for constipation, stomach and liver troubles. 25c at the drug stores of John E. King, McNier & Horrall and N. L. Krone.

A delightful surprise party was tendered Miss Nellie Murray Tuesday evening at her home on East William street. The occasion was a birthday anniversary and the guests came masked and enjoyed a most delightful evening. Refreshments were served, About fifteen were present.

Interesting Reading.

We have on hand at all times a supply of literature, descriptive of the resources and resorts of the great west.

It is interesting and instructive reading for the farmer, business man and tourist, and will be mailed free on application to J. H. Lothrop, general agent, Union Pacific Railroad Co., 903 Olive street, St. Louis, Mo.

Births.

Steinmetz—Born to Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Steinmetz, 930 North Monroe street, Monday, November 24, a son.

Andrews—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur G. Andrews, 573 North Mercer street, Monday, November 24, a son.

Vale—Born to Mr. and Mrs. David Vale, 646 East Orchard street, Tuesday, November 25, a son.

Hammond—Born to Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Hammond of Long Creek, Saturday, November 22, a daughter.

Newsham—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Newsham, three miles south of Mt. Zion, Saturday, November 22, a son.

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CHILD IS MISSING

Sixteen Year Old Mulatto Girl Without Medical Attention Gives Birth to Girl Baby.

THE CHILD HAS DISAPPEARED.

Grandmother Took The Little One Away—Police Try to Locate Her.

Carrie Gibson of Johnstown and Philip Johnson of Evansville are held at the city prison to await a police investigation and in the meantime the [illegible] are making efforts to locate [illegible] the mother of the [illegible]. Just what charge will be made [illegible] has not yet determined [illegible] will perhaps depend upon the [illegible] of Elma Scott to recover from [illegible] condition in which she is now lying. All of the persons involved are colored.

Saturday afternoon Henry Cole, a colored man, living at 1012 East Cerro Gordo street, reported to the police that a 16-year-old mulatto girl rooming in his house had on Tuesday night given birth to a child, that she had been without medical attention, and that the child had disappeared. An investigation proved that Cole told the truth. Dr. N. D. Myers was called by the police to wait on the girl and he said that she had not received proper treatment and that it was necessary that she be under the care of a physician.

"In the room with the sick girl were Philip Johnson and Carrie Gibson, a sister of the young mother. Pending an investigation they were taken to the city prison. There Mrs. Gibson said: "My sister and Johnson have often traveled with small show companies. In September they came west from Wilkesbarre, Pa. I met them at Cincinnati and came with them to Decatur. We have been here since the carnival week. My mother came here at same week. The true condition of my sister was not known to either myself or my mother. We consulted a physician who said that she was afflicted with a tumor. Wednesday night or Thursday morning my sister gave birth to a girl baby. I couldn't believe that it was true. Mother said that she had served as midwife enough to know how to care for sister. I believed that she did, for I was sure I didn't know what to do. Mother was greatly concerned and declared that she would at once take the child away so that no one would know anything about the circumstance. She said that she would go to Grayville where she has friends and leave the little one there. Then she would come back to Decatur and nurse sister until she had recovered.

"It was the intention of my mother to take the child eventually to Henderson, Ky., where my grandmother lives. She left the house Thursday morning about 5:30 o'clock and I have not seen her since that time. I supposed that she would get a train to Grayville in a few moments, but I have since learned that she would not be able to get a train for that city until nearly 11 o'clock. That is all that I know about the case. I followed the instructions mother gave me in caring for my sister."

Last night State's Attorney Redmon said that until the case had been fully investigated and the authorities had learned what had become of the child he could not say what sort of a charge would be preferred against the man and woman now held.

Last night Chief Sullivan telegraphed the authorities at Grayville asking that Mrs. Scott be arrested.

HOME FROM THE HUNT.

Deer Slayers are Back from Swifton, Arkansas—Ordinary Luck.

S. R. Gher, W. H. Stewart, Frank Bernhart, Henry and Charlie Flickinger, who were members of the hunting party that went to Swifton, Ark., a few weeks ago to hunt deer have returned home. Charles Traver, John Seberer and Robert Sipe remained to try their luck a little longer. The returned hunters report indifferent success so far as securing deer was concerned. They got but one, that a small specimen and they had to divide it with the guides who helped beat the brush. They report that two deer were wounded but could not be secured. Fishing was good, and small game, such as geese, ducks, squirrel and swamp rabbits was plentiful. Sunday afternoon it started to rain at Swifton and had not quit Tuesday noon. The low ground in that section was turned into a swamp, the water in places being wagon bed deep.

FOUND HIM GUILTY.

Frank Liston Convicted of Burglary and Larceny—Must Answer Further.

Friday morning the jury in the Liston case returned a verdict of guilty in the case of Frank Liston, charged with burglary and larceny.

The young man who is 18 years old has five other indictments of the same kind to answer.

All of the jail cases have now been disposed of. When court convenes this morning there will be no work in the criminal line and the expectation is that after a short session devoted to motions, there will be an adjournment to Monday, when the Attebery case will be called.

Several days ago a member of the grand jury was quoted as saying that Joe Dansby would not be indicted. Now the statement is made that the grand jury has voted a bill against Dansby, charging him with assault to kill. A hearing in that case cannot be called until after Bjornsten, the victim of the assault has recovered sufficiently to leave the hospital. Perhaps that case may be called after the hearing of the Attebery case has been concluded. By the time that case is at an end some of the indictments on which the grand jury has voted will have been returned and there may be other business to be disposed of ahead [illegible]

Take a look at the Herald's money jar in John E. King's window, then subscribe for the Herald and get it [illegible]

THRIFT'S TROUBLES ENDED

Gives Out the Names of the Men Who Will Assist Him in Discharge of His Duties.

TANGNEY IS CHIEF DEPUTY.

Charles A. Thrift who becomes the sheriff of Macon county next Monday knows what a Turkish bath is like now. For a few months prior to November 4, he was in a constant sweat and he had not finished drying the perspiration when he was given another round on the question of his deputies. It might not have been so hard for Charlie had not the executive committee of the democratic county central committee been so active in its desire to help him out. Left to himself the job would not have been half so hard, but it is all over now and the new official will be nicely cooled down by the time he is ready to step into his office. He announces his list of appointments as follows:

Chief Deputy—Maurice J. Tangney of Decatur.

Office Deputy—William Pritchett of Niantic.

[illegible] George Gottermann of Forsyth.

The new head deputy who succeeds T. C. Wilson is a well known contractor. He is a rock ribbed, triple [illegible] democrat. Any one who knows him will never question him on that score. Mr. Tangney is also a member of the executive committee. He was a candidate for highway commissioner against Joshua Hubbard [illegible] and has been frequently mentioned for other democratic nominations in the [illegible] years past. Mr. Tangney is competent to discharge the duties of the important position that has been given to him and his friends and admirers are pleased to know that he has been so honored.

Will Pritchett, who continues as office deputy, is now well known in this city. He came here four years ago from Niantic to take that position under Sheriff Lehman and during the four years that have passed he has been faithful in the discharge of his duties. He will be of invaluable aid to a new officer as he has acquired a knowledge of the details of the office that is very essential to its proper conduct. Those who have business with the sheriff's office are glad to know that Mr. Pritchett has been retained.

The new turnkey comes from the vicinity of Mr. Thrift's home at Forsyth. He is a single man and is highly recommended, a thoroughly reliable. The position is one that demands the constant presence of the occupant at the county jail, and for that reason an unmarried man is always preferred.

SKETCH OF JUDGE WRIGHT.

Something About Man Who Has Been Named For Court of Claims.

Judge Francis M. Wright, who on Tuesday was appointed by President Roosevelt to the vacancy on the court of claims caused by the death of John Davis, is one of the best known men in Illinois. His personal character is above reproach and his judicial abilities are conceded by all who know him. The appointment was made at the request of Congressman Cannon, who had previously secured the indorsement of the members of the Illinois delegation for his candidate.

Judge Wright was born in Adams county, Ohio, in 1841, and at the age of 17 entered the union army and served with the Thirty-Ninth Ohio Volunteer infantry until mustered out in 1865. He was admitted to the bar after a course in a Cincinnati law school and moved to Champaign county in 1868. He practiced law with great success until elected to the circuit bench on the republican ticket in 1891. He was a candidate for governor of Illinois in 1888 and for congress in 1894, in both of which contests this county stood by him until the request of the delegates to vote for other candidates.

There will be many regrets on the part of both the bar and the people of his county that Judge Wright is to leave the circuit bench, where he has served so faithfully and impartially for nearly two terms.

The matter of choosing his successor is likely to come up at any time. It is understood that there are several aspirants for the position.

STIRRING SPRINGFIELD.

Women Are Begging to Be Taken Out of Tobacco Filth.

Several Springfield ladies have complained to the State Register about the reckless expectoration in this city. They say when they walk about the sidewalks in the down-town district their gowns drag in filth, the presence of which on the sidewalks is attributable to reckless expectoration. And worse than that—yesterday an elderly lady of Springfield came to the State Register office in person and begged that a determined effort be encouraged toward the passage and enforcement of a municipal law which will put an end to spitting on the sidewalks, especially in the down-town district, where ladies must walk and where now their gowns are ruined or made filthy by being dragged through slime which has been spit upon the sidewalks. This lady narrowly escaped bodily injury yesterday as the result of reckless expectoration. On one of the most important corners in the city she slipped in a pool of slime which tobacco spitters had deposited. In endeavoring to maintain her equilibrium she wrenched her muscles painfully and barely escaped a hard fall on the spit-covered stone walk.—Springfield Register.

Springfield should take lessons from Decatur. Here the men who once expectorated their tobacco filth on the sidewalks would not return to the former dirty condition of the pavement. They have learned how beautiful it is to be cleanly.

To the Springs.

H. H. Miller will leave today for Hot Springs, where he will visit three weeks or more. He has been troubled with rheumatism and explains on the quiet that he wants to get rid of a case of Charley Horse before the base ball season opens.

HEALTH FIGURES

The State Board of Health Engaged In Compiling Vital Statistics For the Year.

TUBERCULOSIS LEADS IN DEATHS

With Pneumonia a Close Second—Suicides and Means of Ending Life.

The Illinois State Board of Health has taken up the work of compiling and arranging for publication the vital statistics, which under the statutes, are collected by the various counties of the state. Several clerks are at work on them, but the extent of the work is such that it will not be possible to complete it for some time.

Some interesting facts are brought out in the casual examination of the great mass of returns which are piled desk high in the secretary's office, awaiting arrangement and classification by the clerks. One of them says that in the city of Chicago there is an increase in the number of deaths which are reported as having been caused by tuberculosis, for almost every batch of death certificates sent in specifies consumption as the cause of the death in a majority of the cases.

For some time the Chicago health authorities have been urging the establishment of isolation hospitals for the cases of consumptives and the state board of health has been encouraging them in their efforts. Dr. J. A. Egan, the secretary, is now attending the international convention on tuberculosis and he has with him some important figures from the statistics gathered by his office in the past. Had he the reports of the last twelve months, he could probably present facts of a startling character concerning the growth of the disease in Chicago, and further justify his contention that consumption is one of the diseases which should be cared for by the health authorities, just as they now combat smallpox and other contagious diseases.

Pneumonia Close to Tuberculosis.

Ranking along with tuberculosis as a cause of death is pneumonia. The county of Cook, especially, shows a large number of cases, the most of which are in Chicago. Sudden climatic changes and carelessness in the matter of providing for them unquestionably are responsible for the number of these cases, and failure to treat them promptly is accounted to be the reason why so many of them terminate fatally. In too many instances the patient is under the impression he has only a slight cold until the disease has reached the dangerous stage.

"Do you know," said a clerk who was handling a great batch of reports on suicides, "that very few natives of Illinois ever take their own lives? Here are the records of thirty-five suicides in the city of Chicago which I have just checked up, and not one of them was a native of this state. Nineteen of them were foreigners, twelve were born in other states and the nativity of four is not given. The rule holds good all the way through. I have not run across the report of a native Illinoisan taking his own life in all these papers.

Male Suicide in the Majority.

"It is generally supposed that the proportion of women who commit suicide is much greater than men, but these reports do not show that to be the fact. I think a great many more women attempt suicide or feign attempts at self-destruction and this is what causes the impression that so many of them die by their own hand. In a great majority of the sensational suicide stories in the newspapers a woman has taken poison or adopted some other method of making away with herself, but more of them recover than die. A great many of them have not attempted to kill themselves at all, but are feigning because of a lovers' quarrel or some domestic row or something of the sort. A whole lot of the cases are nothing but ordinary hysteria.

"When a women commits suicide or attempts to do so much is made of the fact by the papers. There is almost always a story in these cases and though the patient does not die, the incident gets a headline and attracts attention. With men it is different. Once in a while a man of sufficient prominence to receive more than passing mention kills himself. For the most part, however, they are poor unfortunates nobody knows or cares anything about. Usually they are despondent because of disease or inability to get employment and no story worth the reading attaches to their parting this life. If they are mentioned at all they are given very little attention and so people have come to believe that few men kill themselves.

Poison is Favorite Route.

"Poison is the favorite method of self-destruction. Out of these thirty-five cases fifteen took poison, and I think this proportion will hold good all the way through. Hanging is supposed to be a popular method of ending life with suicides, but here again, the general impression is incorrect. Only two of these people resorted to the rope. Nine of them used firearms and one turned on the gas.

"Cook county, of course, has the greatest number of suicides. Then comes St. Clair county, though it should not be charged with all the cases reported from it. For some unaccountable reason a great many St. Louis people go over to East St. Louis to make away with themselves and this gives St. Clair county its standing in the suicide column. Sangamon county, the state capital, will, I think, rank third; Peoria county next, and Vermillion county with the city of Danville and the soldiers' home will follow. Adams county has some cases but I do not believe it will compare with the counties named."

Springfield is an Example.

The annual report of the board will have to do largely with the subject of smallpox in the state of Illinois and will give Dr. Egan's conclusions concerning the efficacy of vaccination. Springfield will be held up as a striking example of what can be done in the way of stamping out the disease. A year ago the city had some 200 cases and an organized fight was made on the disease. Every case was strictly quarantined and every resident of the city was urged to submit to vaccination. Today there is not a case in the city.

At several other points similar results have been obtained and the opinion is expressed that had the crusade been kept up six months longer and prosecuted as vigorously as it was when the scare was at its height, there would not now be a case in the state. At present cases of smallpox exist in the following counties: Cook, Alexander, Coles, Kankakee, La Salle, Warren, Stephenson, St. Clair, and Moultrie.

There is much typhoid fever in all parts of the state, due to the heavy rains of the summer, which flooded the wells with surface water and carried impurities into them.

A GALLON of MONEY GIVEN AWAY!

SEE THE SHINING SILVER DOLLARS, HALVES, QUARTERS AND DIMES . . . . .

TAKE A LOOK AT THE CRISP BANK NOTES AND BRIGHT NICKELS and PENNIES

THEN COUNT IT CORRECTLY and it ALL BELONGS TO YOU

ON JANUARY 1st the Herald will give away a gallon jar filled with money to the person or persons who can count it correctly. There are pennies, nickels, dimes, quarters, half dollars, dollars and bills of various denominations—nothing in it but money. You have just as good a chance to get it as anybody. The jar was filled and sealed at the Millikin National Bank. The contents cannot be disturbed, for the bank's seal is on the ribbon holding the stopper in place. Not a soul knows the amount of money in the jar—not even the proprietors of the Herald or the men who filled it. and no one will know until the first of January, when it will be counted by a committee of business men of Decatur and the prize awarded.

HERE IS THE PROPOSITION:

The entire amount goes to the person or persons counting correctly the contents of the jar. If two or more persons count it correctly, the contents will be divided equally among them. If no one counts the amount exactly, the person or persons getting nearest will get the money. In other words, the best counter gets the money.

THE HERALD WILL ALLOW YOU TO TURN IN YOUR COUNTS ON THE FOLLOWING BASIS:

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2. Two counts with every 25 cents paid on want advertisements in advance.
3. Every person bringing in a new subscriber will be allowed a count with every ten cents paid on the new subscription. The new subscriber will also be allowed a count for every ten cents which he has paid.

NOTE THIS: While no one in the employ of the Herald knows, or can possibly discover the exact amount of money in the jar, yet no person employed directly or indirectly by this paper will be allowed to participate in the contest at all. No person connected with the Herald or members of their families will be allowed to submit any counts under any circumstances. The contest is free-for-all under the conditions stated and there are no handicaps. Everybody starts from the scratch, and you stand as good a chance as any one on earth. You are in invited to see the money in the jar, and count early and often on the amount in it. The more you count the better chance you have to win.

Slips on which to put your count may be had at the Herald office or of solicitors. You cannot use any other slips but these. All counts will be placed in a box and opened on the day the jar is opened.

The Decatur Herald Money Jar may be seen at the "Citizen's Bank," Maroa, Ill., Friday and Saturday, Nov. 28 and 29. Call and see it and get your coupons.

CHINESE BOY

Is Attending the Public Schools at Mattoon—Is American Citizen.

The pupils attending the Longfellow school were surprised Tuesday to find a little Chinese boy there ready to take up his studies with the rest of the children. The sight of a Chinese boy was quite a novelty and the scholars persisted in sitting and staring at him, instead of paying strict attention to their studies. The novelty will wear off in a few days, and then the youngster will be one of the school, and there will be very little thought of his presence.

The boy is the son of the new proprietor of the Chinese laundry on East Broadway, and can not be excluded from the schools, should there be any disposition to exclude him, on account of his father being a Chinaman, for he is American born and therefore will be an American citizen when he reaches his majority. The school board does not fear any objection to his entering the school on the part of the parents of the other children, for the boy has every right of any other American born child.

He was born in Seattle, Wash.—Mattoon Journal.

MAY BRING SUIT.

Attorney Hall and I. L. Frantz Pay a Legal Visit to Decatur.

Alderman Isaac L. Frantz of Arcola was in Mattoon Tuesday evening, and he and Attorney John Hall went to Decatur to consult a doctor over there about a certain matter that may result in a damage suit against the Decatur doctor and an Arcola doctor for alleged malpractice, which resulted in the death of Mr. Frantz's son.

The understanding is that Garnett, son of Alderman Frantz, became disordered some months ago and the doctors diagnosed his case as appendicitis. He was taken to Decatur for an operation and when the physicians cut into him it was found that he was not suffering from that complaint. The shock of the operation killed him, or, at least, he died on the operating table, or soon after the operation. It developed in the operation that he was suffering from an internal trouble caused by a fall from a tree some months previous to his illness.—Mattoon Journal.

Look at the Money Jar.

NEARBY TOWNS

Boody.

John Bailey has completed the remodeling of his house.

Connard & Co. are erecting a telephone line northeast of here.

The schools will give a two days' vacation this week.

Peru school cleared $22.17 at their social Friday evening.

Nov. 27.

Madison.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hill of Decatur are visiting J. E. Cottle.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Blankenship visited at J. T. Cannon's Sunday.

Otha and Letha Jacobs and Joseph Damery are sick.

E. R. Moffett moved to Decatur this week.

The funeral of Arthur Wolfer was held Sunday afternoon at Bethlehem church. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Bankson and Rev. Gould of Blue Mound.

Nov. 27.

Oakley.

James Hite is able to be out again after an illness of several weeks.

B. F. McCoy has returned from a month's visit with his son in South Dakota.

Seymour Minick and wife of Decatur spent Sunday with J. R. Minick and family.

Bert Hodges has a badly damaged arm as a result of being thrown from a horse.

Mrs. Harvey Bundy and daughter, Miss Laura Wagoner, are visiting friends near Kinmundy, Ill.

Misses Emma Borchers, Anna Lyons, Dessie Garver and Rose Morrow of Decatur were visiting in this vicinity Sunday.

Melvin Manecke of Argenta was an Oakley visitor Thursday.

Robert Durham and wife of Argenta spent Sunday with relatives here.

Burley & Vulgamot have purchased a new corn sheller.

Farmers are as busy as bees harvesting one of the largest crops of corn raised in recent years in this vicinity. A very few have completed their husking, but at least one-third of the crop is still in the field. The crop is yielding generally from fifty to sixty bushels per acre. But very little has been delivered to the dealers yet. The local price is thirty-five cents per bushel.

Nov. 26.

Mt. Pulaski.

Dr. J. H. Bozarth was in Cornland vicinity on professional business Sunday.

Herman Bahlow of New Latham transacted business in the Mount Monday.

J. M. Tomlinson sold his hogs to J. M. Rothwell Friday. The price paid was $5.85.

Mrs. David Shellhammer was operated on Sunday at the Lincoln hospital for tumor. She is reported doing well.

Harry Stilley was in Lincoln Sunday visiting friends.

Mrs. Melita Downing and son, Nelson, drove to Lincoln Sunday to see Mrs. Shellhammer who is in the hospital there.

McKeller & Rupp are busy moving their bowling alley into their new quarters in the Roth block.

George Lachenmeyer is the first one reported to have finished gathering corn.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Beidler were in Lincoln Sunday visiting friends and relatives.

Harry Ely of Cornland transacted business in Mt. Pulaski Tuesday.

Adam Schafer, police magistrate of Mt. Pulaski suffered a severe stroke of paralysis Wednesday morning.

Dr. P. H. Oyler and George Lachenmeyer drove to near Beason Wednesday to attend a horse sale. The doctor is looking for a tip top good driver.

A free-for-all fight among a lot of hoodlums on our streets a few nights ago resulted in one of the large glasses in the front of McKellar's billiard hall being demolished.

Nov. 27.

HALT HAS BEEN CALLED.

No Further Extensions of Rural Mail Service at Present.

P. H. Moore, special agent of the rural free mail delivery department, has returned from Indianapolis, where he attended a conference of the special agents and inspectors of this district. Mr. Moore said that instructions had been received from the department for the cessation of further work in the extension of the rural free delivery service until after the meeting of congress. The reason assigned is the exhaustion of the appropriation for that purpose. All the county systems which are now in process of installation will be completed, but no new work will be taken up. This insures the completion and installation of the service in this county and the work will be pushed forward as rapidly as possible.—Springfield News.

VETERAN OF 115TH.

Although Aged and Blind is Married at Pana.

A special dispatch from Pana, dated Nov. 26th, says: The wedding of James McCoy and Mrs. Harriet McCowan took place this evening at the home of the groom in this city. Mr. McCoy is 65 years of age and Mrs. McCowan is 62. Mr. McCoy is a veteran of the civil war, having served in the 115th Illinois volunteer infantry. He is entirely blind, the result of a powder burn, which he suffered in the army, and draws a pension of $72 per month. Mrs. McCowan has been Mr. McCoy's housekeeper for some time.

TO INSTALL A BEN HUR LODGE.

New Court of the Order to be Named at Springfield.

A second lodge of the Tribe of Ben Hur will be instituted in Springfield tonight. The new court will start with a membership of one hundred. The name will be decided upon tonight and officers will be elected.

The Decatur degree team, which is the finest in the state, of this order, will be present. The team probably will be accompanied by several Decatur lodge members, Damascus court, which was the first lodge of the Ben Hur organization in Springfield has a membership of 227.—Springfield Journal.

Booming the Egg Market.

Mrs. Martin McIntosh has a hen that is a curiosity of the neighborhood where they live. The enterprising pullet has selected a limb of a tree for a nest and each day she flies up on the limb, about ten feet from the ground, and gently deposits an egg on the earth below. The result is always disastrous to the egg, but Madam Biddy still persists in her extraordinary actions.—Platt County Pilot.

New Church at Clinton.

The handsome new Baptist church at Clinton will be dedicated December 1. It is located at the corner of Adams and South Madison streets. The corner stone was laid July 8, last, and the completed building will cost $15,000. Rev. G. Ballinger is pastor. The main auditorium is 33 by 49 feet, with a lecture room 13 by 26 feet, and a parlor 13 by 26 feet. The building is 50 by 70 feet with a tower which reaches a heighth of 60 feet. The building is lighted by electricity, heated by steam and the interior is beautifully finished and frescoed.

Damage Suit Filed.

John S. Watkins of Assumption has filed a suit against the Illinois Central for $5,000 damages. Watkins was policeman of the city of Assumption and during the raid upon that town last spring by a gang of Mowequa toughs he stepped into a broken tile on the Central right of way and broke his leg. His attorneys are M. J. Fitzgerald and Hogan & Drennan.—Taylorville Courier.

THE MARKETS

DECATUR MARKETS.

WHOLESALE.

Oranges, per box	$4.50	to	$5.00
Lemons, per box	4.00	to	5.00
Bananas, per pound	1.25	to	2.50
Onions, per bu	.75	to	1.00
Potatoes, per bu	.50	to	.60
Cabbage			by the head
Sweet Potatoes per bu	4.00	to	4.50
Watermelons, per doz	1.00	to	1.25
Peaches, 4 box crates	.75	to	1.25

POULTRY—LIVE WEIGHT.

Hens	.07½	to	
Springs	.08	to	
Cocks	.03	to	
Ducks	.07½	to	
Turkeys	.05	to	.09
Geese	.03	to	
Eggs, fair demand at	.20	to	

Only plump, young turkeys will bring the top price.

GRAIN.

Corn (new)	.33	to	.35
Wheat	.65	to	
Oats	.23	to	.26
Rye	.40	to	

WHOLESALE HAY AND STRAW.

Timothy Hay, per ton	$ 9.50	to	$10.50
Prairie hay	10.50	to	11.00
Wheat straw, per ton	4.00	to	4.50
Oats straw, per ton	4.00	to	5.00
Shredded fodder	5.00	to	7.00

FEED.

Oats, per bu	.35	to	.40
New corn, per bu	.45	to	.50
Bran, per cwt.			.90
Shorts, per cwt.			1.10
Ground corn, per cwt.			1.40
Ground corn and oats, per cwt	1.15	to	1.20
Linseed oil meal, per cwt.			1.60

HAY AND STRAW.

Timothy, per cwt.	65	to	.70

FARMERS!

If you have poultry, etc., to sell, see the DECATUR MARKET, 753 N. Water street. We pay more for good stock than any one in the city. Contract your turkeys now for Thanksgiving.

WEDDING BE[illegible]

Ring Out Happily for [illegible] Brides on Thanksgiving [illegible] Evening.

THE STEWARD-EVANS [illegible]

Celebrated at the Home [illegible] Johnson, Sr.—Other We[illegible]

One of the prettiest Th[illegible] weddings occurred at the [illegible] home of Mr. and Mrs. Milto[illegible] 1769 North Water street, Th[illegible] ening, when Miss Maud Eva[illegible] of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, a[illegible] Steward, son of Mr. and [illegible] Steward of Quincy, were [illegible] the Rev. W. J. Davidson, [illegible] the First Methodist church. [illegible] ty of the relatives and frie[illegible] couple were present.

As the clock struck 6 [illegible] Fribourg played softly the [illegible] Mendelssohn's wedding ma[illegible] the bridal procession moved [illegible] beautifully decorated stairw[illegible] little Lucy Augustine [illegible] the bride's bouquet and E[illegible] and the wedding ring in [illegible] basket. Following were the [illegible] groom. They were met at [illegible] the stairway by Rev. Dav[illegible] led the party to the draw[illegible] where standing before a [illegible] ferns and hot house plants [illegible] ring ceremony of the [illegible] church was performed. "[illegible] Flowers" was played during [illegible] emony.

Following the ceremony [illegible] pany assembled in the dain[illegible] ted dining room where a we[illegible] per was served under the [illegible] Mrs. Snyder. The table wa[illegible] with smilax and carnation[illegible] room was brilliantly illumi[illegible] electric lights.

The house throughout w[illegible] with smilax and asparagus [illegible] liers being hung with [illegible] asparagus, intermingled w[illegible]

The bridal gown was [illegible] awn, trimmed with lace an[illegible] bon. The yoke was of a[illegible] insertion. In her corsage [illegible] wore a rosette of satin rib[illegible]

The little attendants [illegible] white.

The bride is a graduate [illegible] catur High school and w[illegible] ber of the Brown's busin[illegible] She was until recently [illegible] the Macon County Abstrac[illegible] is a member of the St. Joh[illegible] pal church and is an ar[illegible] worker.

The groom is the press[illegible] Review. His home was [illegible] Quincy, but he has a la[illegible] of friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Steward w[illegible] day for Quincy, where they [illegible] their honeymoon. They [illegible] about the first of January [illegible] will be at home to friend[illegible] home of Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] east of the city.

Those present from out [illegible] were: U. L. Steward and [illegible] ents of the groom, John [illegible] Steward, brothers of the [illegible] Quincy; E. J. Evans of [illegible] Wis.

Many elegant presents o[illegible] glass and linen were receiv[illegible]

Butts-Ensman.

The marriage of Miss Gr[illegible] man to Walter Butts oc[illegible] night at the home of the [illegible] ents, Mr. and Mrs. Harr[illegible] 1231 North Clayton street. [illegible] mony was performed by [illegible] Thorn of the United Breth[illegible] about fifty of the friends [illegible] ple being present. Fo[illegible] ceremony there was a sum[illegible] ding supper served. The [illegible] was tastefully decorated [illegible] anthemums and roses.

The bride is a young a[illegible] accomplishments and ha[illegible] friends. The groom is en[illegible] brass finisher at the Fari[illegible] turing Company.

For the present they wi[illegible] Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hale, [illegible] Clinton street, where the[illegible] home to friends.

McCLURE BURL[illegible]

Pretty Home Wedding C[illegible] Oakley, Wednesd[illegible]

At the home of Mr. an[illegible] Burley, in Oakley on Wed[illegible] occured the wedding of M[illegible] ley, their daughter to [illegible] Clure, son of Rev. M. [illegible]

At 4 o'clock, as the we[illegible] was softly played, the bri[illegible] tered the parlor of the [illegible] was beautifully decorated [illegible] anthemums and plants. [illegible] der a canopy of roses, Re[illegible] Clure, father of the groo[illegible] the simple ceremony, bef[illegible] the relatives and friends [illegible]

Following the ceremon[illegible] were ushered into a pret[illegible] dining room, where a be[illegible] ding supper was served, [illegible] rection of the bride's mo[illegible] Rachel Phillips. Follow[illegible] per the bride and groom [illegible] their guests and receive[illegible] tions.

They received a number [illegible] presents, among which w[illegible] $50 from the bride's f[illegible] present from out of the ci[illegible] and Mrs. G. W. Burley, o[illegible] Roy Burley and wife [illegible] George McClure, of Gira[illegible]

The bride is the only [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Burl[illegible] and has many friends w[illegible] happiness and success. [illegible] employed at the Battley [illegible] molder and has many fr[illegible] this city and Cerro Gord[illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. McClure [illegible] this city today and wi[illegible] home at 1335 East Or[illegible] where the groom has fu[illegible] ture for the reception [illegible]

Roff-Thoma[illegible]

George W. Roff and Mi[illegible] as, both of Mowequa, [illegible] yesterday at the office [illegible] attorney, Judge O. W. S[illegible] ing. The young couple [illegible] tur on the afternoon trai[illegible] went to the court hou[illegible] license, they found all [illegible]

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WEDDING BELLS

Out Happily for Numerous ...des on Thanksgiving Day and Evening.

THE STEWARD-EVANS NUPTIALS

...ted at the Home of Milton Johnson, Sr.—Other Weddings.

...prettiest Thanksgiving ...curred at the handsome ... and Mrs. Milton Johnson, ... Water street, Thursday ev- ... Miss Maud Evans, a niece ... Mrs. Johnson, and Roy A. ... son of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. ... of Quincy, were married by ... W. J. Davidson, pastor of ... Methodist church. About fif- ... friends and friends of the ... present.

...clock struck 6 Miss Lula ... played softly the strains of ...'s wedding march, and ... procession moved down the ... decorated stairway, led by ... Augustine carrying ... bouquet and Emily Stew- ... wedding ring, in a pretty ... Following were the bride and ... They were met at the foot of ... by Rev. Davidson, who ... party to the drawing room, ... standing before a bank of ... hot house plants the simple ... ceremony of the Methodist ... was performed. "Hearts and ... was played during the cer-

...ne the ceremony the com- ... in the daintily decora- ... room where a wedding sup- ... served under the direction of ... The table was decorated ... and carnations and the ... brilliantly illuminated with ... lights.

...ase throughout was adorned ... and asparagus, the chan- ... being hung with bouquets of ... intermingled with roses. ... bridal gown was of Persian ... trimmed with lace and satin rib- ... The yoke was of applique and ... In her corsage the bride ... rosette of satin ribbon. ... little attendants wore pure

...bride is a graduate of the De- ... High school and was a mem- ... the Brown's business college, ... until recently employed in ... Macon County Abstract office. She ... member of the St. John's Episco- ... church and is an ardent church ...

...groom is the pressman at the ... His home was formerly in ... but he has a large number ... in this city.

... and Mrs. Steward will leave to- ... Quincy, where they will spend ... honeymoon. They will return ... the first of January when they ... be at home to friends at the ... of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cassell ... of the city.

Those present from out of the city ... C. L. Steward and wife, par- ... of the groom, John and Earl ... ward, brothers of the groom, of ... Quincy; E. J. Evans of Waukesha, ...

Many elegant presents of silver, cut ... and linen were received.

Butts-Erisman.

The marriage of Miss Grace M. Eris- ... to Walter Butts occurred last ... at the home of the bride's par- ... Mr. and Mrs. Harry Erisman, ... North Clayton street. The cere- ... was performed by Rev. C. A. ... of the United Brethern church, ... fifty of the friends of the cou- ... being present. Following the ... there was a sumptuous wed- ... supper served. The dining room ... tastefully decorated with chrys- ... anthemums and roses.

...bride is a young lady of many ... accomplishments and has a host of ... The groom is employed as a ... finisher at the Faries Manufac- ... Company.

...the present they will board with ... Mrs. Carl Hale, 1013 North ... street, where they will be at ... to friends.

McCLURE-BURLEY.

Pretty Home Wedding Celebrated At Oakley, Wednesday.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. ..., in Oakley on Wednesday night, ... the wedding of Miss Mae Bur- ... their daughter to Claude Mc- ... son of Rev. M. J. McClure. ... 8 o'clock, as the wedding march ... softly played, the bridal party en- ... the parlor of the home which ... beautifully decorated with chrys- ... anthemums and plants. Standing un- ... canopy of roses, Rev. M. J. Mc- ... father of the groom performed ... simple ceremony, before a few of ... relatives and friends of the couple. ... Following the ceremony the guests ... ushered into a prettily decorated ... room, where a beautiful wed- ... supper was served, under the di- ... of the bride's mother and Mrs. ... Phillips. Following the sup- ... the bride and groom mingled with ... guests and received congratula-

... received a number of handsome ... gifts, among which was a check for ... from the bride's father. Those ... from out of the city were: Mr. ... Mrs. G. W. Burley, of Springfield; ... Burley and wife of Decatur; ... McClure, of Girard, Ill.

The bride is the only daughter of ... and Mrs. W. C. Burley, of Oakley, ... has many friends who wish her ... happiness and success. The groom is ... employed at the Sattley foundry, as a ... and has many friends both in ... and Cerro Gordo.

Mr. and Mrs. McClure will arrive in ... city today and will make their ... at 1335 East Orchard street, ... the groom has furnished a cot- ... for the reception of his bride.

Roff-Thomas.

George W. Roff and Miss May Thom- ..., both of Moweaqua, were married ... today at the office of the state's ... attorney, Judge O. W. Smith, officiat- ... The young couple came to Deca- ... on the afternoon train. When they went to the court house to get a license, they found all of the offices closed. Assistant State's Attorney Henson offered his services. He called Deputy County Clerk Patterson and invited the bridal party into his office while he telephoned to Judge Smith to come over and perform the ceremony.

Weiser-Schmink.

Leroy Weiser and Miss Mary Schmink were married Wednesday afternoon at the First Methodist parsonage by Rev. William J. Davidson. Both are prominent members of the First M. E. church and are well known to a host of friends. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Schmink, of 2042 North Union street and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Weiser of 1711 North Edward street, and is employed as a brass finisher at the Mueller factory. The young couple will go to housekeeping on North Edward street.

Van Hausen-Angelly.

Wednesday afternoon at the parsonage Rev. William J. Davidson, pastor of the First M. E. church united in marriage James Van Hausen of Barry, and Miss Lydia Angelly of Carroll. Miss Angelly is a highly accomplished young lady and has been visiting her sister, Mrs. A. S. Sanders at Argenta for the past six weeks, and the latter accompanied the bride to Decatur and witnessed the ceremony. The groom is a prominent young business man of Barry, where they will reside.

GO BACK TO WORK MONDAY

Striking Employes of the Mueller Works Have Reached an Agreement with the Company.

THEY ARE GLAD IT IS OVER.

The Mueller Manufacturing Company employes who are out on a strike will return to work on Monday morning. Although the differences are not yet settled, and it will take about a month to settle them, the men have reached an agreement with the company to return to work and settle matters as soon thereafter as possible. This includes both the machinists and the coremakers.

Speaking of the matter last night one of the striking men said: "We have decided to go back but have not yet received the sanction from the International union. That would have been sent today, but as the officers could not be reached on Thanksgiving day the commission to return to work will likely come tomorrow. We have reached an agreement with the firm and things will soon be straightened out. We are all glad to return to work and wish the trouble had been settled sooner."

DINNER IN ILLINI.

Bradbury Clark Entertains at His Country Home.

Bradbury Clark, a well known farmer of Illini township celebrated Thanksgiving with a big dinner to relatives and friends at his home southwest of Warrensburg. Mr. Clark is 81 years old and has resided on the quarter section which he owns for the past 37 years. Mrs. Julia Emerson of Ogden, Kansas, who was one of the guests, celebrated her 89th birthday on this occasion and a third member of Mrs. Clark's family, Mrs. Jane Clark, is 83 years old. She resides on the old home place in New Hampshire and was unable to attend the celebration. All three of these octogenarians are hale and hearty. The three daughters of Mr. Clark are Mrs. C. J. Tucker of Warrensburg, Mrs. E. L. Roberts and Mrs. T. G. Wilson, wife of Deputy Sheriff Wilson of this city.

Ability—Experience.

These are the principal things to be taken into consideration when you are sick and want to choose a doctor to cure you. The ability can only be judged by results. The experience can be obtained in two ways—hospital and private practice. The purport of this article is to call attention to the fact that Dr. Appleman possesses both of these essential qualifications. His results have been shown for themselves in hundreds of cured cases. His experience was obtained first in the great New York and eastern hospitals and later in the largest special practice in the state. He is up to date in his specialties, constantly studying his cases and always on the alert for anything that will assist him in producing speedy and permanent cures. This is why his visits continue month after month and his practice constantly increases.

You can consult him free at Hotel Brunswick, Decatur, Monday, Dec. 1, 8 a. m. to 4.30 p. m.

EDUCATING SEA LIONS.

The Task Is Not Without Danger To the Trainer.

A half dozen slippery, shapeless seals and sea lions floundering about on the stage, croaking and barking—and doing some very wonderful things besides—do not seem in the least dangerous or formidable, but there is hardly anything more painful and serious than the bite of one of these curious beastt. Charles Judge, who has trained them for years and has a company of them in the Hagenbach show, is badly scarred from the attacks of these peculiar half land-animals, half fish. The bite of the sea lion is poisonous, besides. It is an ugly wound from the manner in which it is inflicted. Although the creature moves painfully and slowly on land, the motion of its head and neck is exteremely quick. The neck seems to have an almost elastic quality. One is surprised at its reach. The sea lion is like a bulldog. When he has caught hold he does not let go at once, but sets his teeth firmly in the flesh. Then he twists his head, the teeth being still embedded in the flesh; and without relinquishing his grip he gives a quick jerk. The result is to pull out a ragged piece of flesh, if the animal has gotten a deep hold.—Leslie's Weekly.

Dr. and Mrs. A. F. Wilhelmy, were at La Place yesterday to take thanksgiving dinner with his brother. Dr. Wilhelmy did not go to Springfield, as stated in the evening paper to remain over Sunday.

BOTH LOADED UP

But Moweaqua Was More Heavily Charged and Won the Football Game from Decatur.

SCORE WAS FIVE TO NOTHING.

Best Exhibition Ever Witnessed on Local Gridiron.

Of course we lost. The score was 5 to 0 in favor of the other fellows, as usual. But then, about 200 enthusiasties, who shivered and shook and yelled themselves hoarse were delighted over the exhibition. Every body was sorry Decatur lost, but then the Moweaqua boys won the game by hard playing and were entitled to the victory and the largest share of the gate receipts. The game was played at the race track.

It Was Funny.

And then to think, both teams had loaded up for the occasion. Moweaqua had such men as Carter, first substitute for quarterback on the University of Illinois team, and Cutler, a 250 pound heavy weight, who won fame in games played with the University of Wisconsin. Decatur had picked out McBride, whose football history is well known in this city and Raymond Leonard, one of the substitutes of the University of Illinois team.

The game was clean from start to finish. The first touchdown was made in the last half. At the close of the first half Moweaqua had the ball on Decatur's five yard line, with a sure touchdown, when time was called. Near the close of the second half Decatur had the ball going fast toward Moweaqua's goal, when Leonard made a leap over center gaining five yards, but fumbled the ball in the scrimmage which followed. In the first half B. Snyder, Moweaqua's full back, broke through tackle and dashed up the field thirty yards. With a clear field the fate of the Decatur team was in the hands of Leorard the full back, who downed the ball 10 yards from the goal. There were but few trick plays tried. Decatur gained about 10 yards on a fake pass and Moweaqua worked the tandem and tandem fake for small gains. The most of the gains on both sides were made by line bucking and mass plays on center. Both teams were about equal in weight and the center plunges were usually held on both sides. Snyder, full back for Moweaqua, vaulted the line a number of times, for small gains. It was impossible for the home team to block this play and the one touchdown was due to Moweaqua working this play when within a few yards of the goal line.

Game in Detail.

Decatur won the toss and chose the south goal. Leonard kicked off to the twenty yard line and the ball was returned five yards by Snyder, who dropped it and it was secured by Decatur. Crea smashed into right tackle for a small gain and McBride threw his weight against the right guard for a small gain, bringing the ball to within twenty yards of the goal. Beall made another gain through tackle and fumbled the ball to Moweaqua. Scarlett sprinted around left end for a ten yard gain and Right Half McKee, followed his play with a line buck for five yards. Moweaqua massed on center and were penalized five yards for an off side play by the quarter back. The next down Moweaqua fumbled the ball to Decatur, in the center of the field. Several line bucks were tried and Moweaqua was again penalized for an off side play. The next down Beall hit the line, but failed to make the required distance and the ball went to Moweaqua.

Scarlett tried another end play, but McBride made a pretty tackle and downed him behind the line. McKee hit tackle for five yards and was downed by Crea. The Decatur team put up a stiff line and the Moweaqua team were held for downs. Decatur taking the ball and getting five yards for an off side play.

Crea and Hamilton worked the ball down the line about ten yards when it was fumbled to Moweaqua. Carter, the Illinois man, dashed around left end for a good gain and at the next down when the Decatur eleven were looking for a repetition. Snyder the full back, made the sensational run of thirty yards, through tackle, and was downed by Leonard when but 10 yards from the goal. McKee, the right half, was worked hard against the line for small gains. Decatur boys had lost hope and all the shouting of the rooters seemed of no avail. Then just when Moweaqua was redy to push the ball over the line, time was called for the first half, score 0 to 0. Time 20 minutes.

Second Half.

Rankins of Moweaqua kicked off to Leonard who advanced the ball five yards. The first down Decatur punted fifteen yards. Snyder, full back of Moweaqua, advanced the ball five yards. Several unsuccessful attempts were made to put Carter, the left end, around right end and McKee pounded the left tackles hard, without gain, when the ball was lost on a fumble. Leonard and McBride made short gains through the line, but failed to make the required distance and the ball went over on downs.

Scarlett went around right end for one of the prettiest runs of the game, making about twenty yards. Beall caught the runner, bu tfailed to get a good grip and he got away. Moweaqua was encouraged by this play and hit the line for repeated gains, landing the pigskin within ten yards of the goal. Scarlett was again sent around the right end, but McCollom, Decatur's left end, caught him behind the line. McKee then vaulted the line and carried the ball over for a touchdown. There was not much cheering from the side lines, for they were strongly in favor of the home team. Roy Snyder, captain of the team, failed to kick goal and the score was 5 to 0.

Leonard kicked off to the fifteen yard line and the ball was placed on the twenty yard line for a scrimmage. Scarlett made a gain through center and a tandem was tried but was held by the bulwark of the Decatur center. A tandem fake play was tried, Right End Scarlett making a dash to go around right end. The play failing the ball went to Decatur on downs. McBride and Hamilton made attempts at line bucking with poor success. Leonard made five yards, and the ball was fumbled to Moweaqua.

Scarlett tried an end play and Baum captured him behind the line. It was then found that Snyder could make good gains over the line and several plays were made in succession. A rapid change, sending McKee through the tackles for five yards. Decatur took a brace and held the Moweaqua stars for downs. With but two minutes to play Decatur hammered the Moweaqua line for successive gains, when time was called with the ball in the center of the field. Score 5 to 0.

Nearly every player walked off the field limping, holding a swollen jaw or nursing a bruised ear. Clinton Damrow, who held center for Decatur had his left arm badly injured. Scarlett of Moweaqua was hurt on the left knee cap, Roy Snyder, of Moweaqua, had his cheek cut and McCollom of Decatur his ankle strained.

The Line Up.

The following was the line up for the game:

Moweaqua	Position.	Decatur
B. Snyder	full back	Ray Leonard
Cutler	left guard	Frank Beall
Adams	right guard	Cyril McMahan
Raymond Snyder	left tackle	McBride
C. Bruner	right tackle	Schultz
Carter	left end	McCollom
Rankins	right end	Hill
Scarlett	left half back	Harry Crea
McKee	right half back	Hamilton
Calvin	center	Damrow
Roy Snyder	quarter back	Baum

Officials—Referee, Thomas Hayward, Walter Smock, umpire.

Linemen—Will McKinley and Will Grout. Timers, Herman Leonard and Ray Hays.

The game was played in two twenty minute halves.

BRITISH AND BOERS.

Generosity and Fairness of the Conqueror's Policy Set Forth.

We alluded some days ago to the very chilly reception, from a financial point of view, that had been given to the Boer leaders on their begging tour in Europe. We contrasted the British government gift that General Delarey has classed as "a mere beggar's pittance" with what the Boers had been able to raise since the close of the war in the countries of Europe. A correspondent has called us to task for the figures we used of the British grant, saying that the real amount was more than double what we had credited to the British government. Our correspondent should remember, however, that we were not giving our own figures, but were alluding, doubtless, to the original grant of £3,000,000 made under Section 10 of the treaty of peace between the Boers and the English. All told, the Transvaal gift and loan are to amount to £8,000,000, or $40,000,000, which makes a comparison with what has been given to the Boers by the people of Europe even more favorable to the British government. In his speech in the house of commons Wednesday, November 5, Mr. Chamberlain explained what had already been done for the repatriation of the Boers in South Africa. His speech was made, therefore, practically on the eve of his departure for Cape Colony. In opening, Mr. Chamberlain said he did not consider that the opposition was treating him fairly in some of the questions they had asked. It was his own desire, and that of the great bulk of the British people, that he should visit South Africa with a mind as open and unprejudiced as possible. Such certainly could not be the case if the opposition obliged him to commit himself for or against certain principles before he left England.

He was willing, however, to point out what had already been accomplished. At the close of the war there were 103,000 men, women and children held in the British concentration camps. The last figures which he had showed that this number had, therefore, been able to repatriate no fewer than 70,000 persons who in June had been held for one reason or another in the concentration camps. Nor was this all that had been accomplished. At the end of the war there were something like 74,000 prisoners, and of this number more than 40,000 had been returned, and efforts were being made to bring the rest back as speedily as possible. Mr. Chamberlain then touched on the Boer generals' claim that the British grant should have been £75,000,000 instead of £3,000,000. He laid down the broad general principle "that the defeated party in a great war must suffer more than the conqueror." The £3,000,000 which was given from the imperial treasury was not offered, as some seem to suppose, as a compensation for war losses sustained by the Boers, but to help those who were actually destitute, and those who, without being destitute, had not sufficient means to reestablish their industries. The purpose "was to relieve the destitute from misery and starvation, and to enable others to work in the land which belonged to them. For this purpose he held the £3,000,000 to be sufficient, and if more had been required he would have asked for it." Certainly there would seem to be reason for Mr. Chamberlain's plea that he be permitted to visit South Africa unpledged as far as is possible to any fixed policy, so that he may draw conclusions from things as he finds them. Since the close of the war the British have been extremely liberal to the Boers, a fact that must be apparent to any one who considers the matter from a fair point of view.—Boston Herald.

Asleep Amid Flames.

Breaking into a blazing home some firemen lately dragged the sleeping inmates from death. Fancied security and death near. It's that way when you neglect colds and coughs. Don't do it. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption gives peerfect protection against all throat, chest and lung troubles. Keep it near, and avoid suffering, death and doctor's bills. A teaspoonful stops a late cough, persistent use the most stubborn. Harmless and nice tasting, its guaranteed to satisfy. At the drug stores of John E. King, McNier & Horrall and N. L. Krone. Price 50c and $1. Trial bottles 10c.

It is folly to offer a wise man a penny for his thoughts.

There is no middle road for virtue to travel.

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A PECULIAR CASE

Is to be Tried by Shelby County Circuit Court in December.

A case for house breaking is to be tried in the Shelby county circuit court early in December that is the outgrowth of a peculiar train of circumstances.

It seems that an old soldier by the name of Miller migrates between the soldiers home at Quincy and Oconee. The winters he passes at the Home and the summers at Oconee.

Last spring he went to Oconee and rented a single room in a dwelling house owned by the Werner brothers. After living there for a short time he locked up the house and went away.

A few days later a blacksmith concluded to locate in the village and wanted a house. The Werner house, one room of which was occupied by Miller, looked all right to him from the outside, but he would not rent it until he had been inside and looked it over.

In order to accommodate the gentleman one of the Werner boys forced a window up and crawled inside and opened the door to let the blacksmith in. The house suited him and he rented it.

He did not expect his family to arrive for some time but put his goods in the house for safe keeping. Shortly after that Miller returned and found a lot of goods that did not belong to him. He sought Mr. Werner and the situation was explained to him.

Miller immediately demanded a good round sum for damage done to what he called his curios from the war. The Werner brothers refused to pay the amount and Miller's next move was to bring suit for damages in the Shelby county circuit court. He then went before the grand jury and secured an indictment for housebreaking against the Werner brothers. The case has been set for a hearing in December and will attract much attention.

Mr. Miller has retained Judge Thornton to look after his interests in the forthcoming legal contest. Good legal advisers have been retained by the Werner brothers and it is thought that the case will be a hard fought one from start to finish.

TO ORGANIZE NEW LODGE.

W. L. Taylor of the Grand Fountain Will Be Here Saturday Evening.

R. H. Oliphant of this city has received a letter from W. L. Taylor of Chicago, stating that he will be here on Saturday evening for the purpose of organizing a lodge in this city. He is the grand master of the order. The meeting for the purpose of organization will be held at the Second Baptist. The order is a fraternal and beneficial one and everybody is invited to come out and hear its advantages explained by Mr. Taylor. The meeting will be held at 7 o'clock. Both men and women are eligible. Already sixteen have signified their intention of joining. It is hoped to start with twenty charter members.

Marriage License.

George W. Roff, Moweaqua..........21
Leva May Thomas, Moweaqua......19

Are you a good guesser? If so you can get the gallon of money by subscribing for the Herald.

NO CHANGE IN PERSONAL.

May Be Some Increase In Lands and Lots.

There will be no change in the figures on personal property assessments this year by the state board of equalization. The committee on personal property has been considering the matter for several days and will in a short time recommend to the board that no change be made. The committee announced their findings today in order to allow the county clerks of the state to begin their work at once.

It is believed that there will be a slight change in some of the counties on the assessment of town and city lots. This committee has not made its report, however. Some members of the committee are in favor of a slight increase. The late census report shows the value of farm lands in Illinois to be $1,765,581,550, while the returns of the county assessors show the value to be $1,560,763,585. This value was made four years ago, and the members favoring an increase state that land has been on the boom and that an increase of 10 per cent, would not be too much, but fair to the holders of other property.

THE PEOPLE'S COLUMN.

That Viaduct.

Editor Herald: Since that horrible collision of street and steam cars over a week ago in Chicago, in which one person was instantly killed and a number very seriously injured, notwithstanding the railroad had gates and a watchman, the people of Decatur have been more than ever impressed with the necessity of a viaduct on West Main street, and of putting it in at once, before the asphalt is put down and while the damage to property will be light—no damage on the north side of the street and but little on the south at present. Even the postponement of a year will make a difference in buildings on that street, and consequently a difference in damages. There are other viaducts needed, but the time to put this in cheaply is now—certainly a matter for an economical city to consider carefully. Viaducts are so popular and justly so, that a city without is quite in the background and ranks as a little country village. It is reported that Mayor Shilling says it shall not go in during his term of office, but his time is out in the spring and the citizens of Decatur who are the heaviest tax payers want it. It is not an uncommon thing for accidents to occur at railroad crossings with all the precautions of gates and watchman, and it is a question whether parents will consent to allow their children to cross where trains run at sixty miles an hour. We don't want the lives of our children and the lives of other pupils of the university endangered.

FRIEND TO UNIVERSITY.

Halleman—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Chris Hallemann, three miles south of Decatur, Wednesday, Nov. 26, a son.

Kellogg—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Z. M. Kellogg, 218 Spring street, Thursday, November 27, a son.

West—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy West, of Jackson, Tenn, on Monday November 24, a son. The mother was formerly Miss Madge Fenton, of Decatur.

FARMERS COLUMN

PHOTOS Make nice Christmas presents. Place your orders in time to allow for possible delays in finishing. $1 and up per dozen. East End Gallery, 1079 E. Eldorado. Sunday hours 1 to 5 p. m.—28-w2t

ANOTHER FINE LOT Of school and parlor organs, from $10 to $35. Don't delay, they will soon go at above prices. S. M. Lutz.—20-w4t

WISCONSIN LANDS—Handy to Milwaukee market; will produce as many dollars per acre as our land. Can now be had for a song. Will show 100 per cent profit. Sold 1,280 acres last week. Call and see us about it at once Brown & Montgomery, 123 Water St 7-17-wtf

WANTED—Everybody to buy a meal ticket at the Farmer's Restaurant Meals, 15 cents; 7 meals, 95 cents; 21 meals, $2.75. 451 North Water street S. T. Myers, prop.—Nov.4-wtf

FOR SALE—Good solid stool chair from 1 to 300. Also good hard and soft coal heaters and cook stoves big size, wood or cob stoves at $3.50. Cigar press and molds and letter press Chance, first room south of St. Nicholas.—14-w.

SEE the new "Special Steel" finish at the East End Gallery. $2.00 per dozen and up. Handsome and extremely durable. Dollar cabinets as usual. Sunday hours 1 to 5 p. m. 1079 E. Eldorado. —22sw-2

THIRTEEN CABINETS and an easel make an East End Gallery dozen at $1 and up. Dark days all right. Place your Christmas orders in time. Sunday hours 1 to 5 p. m. 1079 E. Eldorado.—23-sw2

I BUY MY WOOL HORSE BLANKETS direct from the mill. You will not have to pay the commission house and jobbers' profit in blankets you buy of me. Full line of lap robes at low prices. R. Nahrgang, 327 E Main.—25-w2t

ONLY THE BEST.

Decatur Trade Is Fastidious When Its a Question of Turkeys.

The poultry shippers said yesterday that there may now be expected a material drop in the price of turkey. Thanksgiving is the big holiday for the turkey trade and from now until New Years day, there will be only a moderate demand for that class of fowl.

One of the dealers said yesterday that the trade this year, locally, has not been up to the standard in volume. There were two reasons for this. In the first place the crop in this section was not large. Then many of the birds were not in the pink of condition. Dealers would not send out second rate fowls, because they expected that the birds would at once be returned to them. The trade in Decatur is said to be a bit fastidious and unless they get the best the grocers will not accept them, without even so much as putting them on display.

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THE NORMAN CASE

The Appellate Court Has Reversed the Decision in a Famous Decatur Damage Suit.

A CASE OF FRAUD IN DEWITT.

Appellate Court Orders a New Trial—Attorney is Defendant.

Among the opinions handed down by the appellate court of the third district on Monday, was one in which the people of Decatur had a lively interest, Norman vs. Bartholomew.

It was a case which had been in the local courts several years and its second hearing here was taken to the higher court.

In the circuit court the title of the case [illegible] Homer Bartholomew by his next friend vs. Fred Norman. Damages in the sum of $1000 were de[illegible]. A number of years ago the [illegible] of the boy was [illegible] in Norman laundry. One night he, then about six years old, while [illegible] in front of the big [illegible] machine, known as the mangle [illegible] and arm caught between the [illegible]. The arm was crushed almost to the shoulder and was amputated.

The damages [illegible] followed. At the [illegible] hearing the jury awarded the plaintiff damages in the sum of $1000. A new trial was granted [illegible] the plaintiff got a verdict [illegible]. Another new trial being denied, Norman took an appeal [illegible]. The higher court has reversed [illegible] the plan [illegible] what [illegible] not known [illegible] a copy of the opinion [illegible] has not yet been received. The announcement of the decision [illegible] that the appellate court reversed the ruling of the lower court, with special findings.

No little sympathy was felt for the [illegible] in this case that he should be made the target of such a demand when personally he was not responsible for the accident. To say this does not mean that there was no sympathy for the child who lost his arm. The boy [illegible] driving about the laundry [illegible] time before the accident [illegible] and his mother picked him up and placed him on the feed board of the machine where it was possible for him to put his hands between the rollers. If he had remained on the floor it would have been impossible for the accident to happen. The case was defended by Messrs. Redmon and Hogan and C. C. LeForgee. I. A. Buckingham and J. M. Gray prosecuted.

A Dewitt Case.

The same court decided a Dewitt county case of not a little interest, Samuels vs. Fuller.

Leon Samuels died leaving an estate of 200 acres. His heirs were his widow, his parents and his brothers and sisters. There were no children. The brothers wished to purchase the dower interest of the widow in the farm. It is charged that Fuller told the would be purchasers, he being their attorney as administrators of the estate, that the only proceedings by which they could get possession of the farm was through a partition suit. It is charged that Fuller then purchased the widow's interest and made haste to sell it to a third party. It was said that the brothers had a deed made out and that the widow was willing to sign it except for the opinion Fuller is alleged to have given. The brothers of Leon Samuels brought suit against Fuller charging fraud and demanding damages in the sum of $1000. The jury said the plaintiffs were not entitled to anything but the higher court has reversed the finding and ordered a new trial. I. A. Buckingham and Robt. Gray appeared for the plaintiffs.

HOME WEDDING.

J. M. Rossiter and Mrs. Harriet Sutherland United in Marriage.

J. M. Rossiter, a well known engineer on the Illinois Central, and Mrs. Harriet Sutherland were united in marriage Sunday evening at the home of the groom on Prairie avenue. It was a quiet home wedding, only the immediate members of the family being present. The happy couple left on the 10.50 Illinois Central train for New Orleans, where their honeymoon will be spent. On their return they will visit Mr. Rossiter's daughter in Paducah, Ky.—Mattoon Journal.

JUSTICE'S LITTLE OVERSIGHT.

Married Couple in Macon County on Moultrie County License.

Justice Phineas B. Provost overlooked a slight formality in a wedding which he performed Monday for a couple from Moultrie county. The young people had secured a license in that county and then came to Decatur to get married. The justice did not discover the fact till after the ceremony and then neglected to make the usual return to the county clerk of Moultrie county.

The question has been raised as to the legality of the marriage on the ground that the law says that the license must be secured in the county in which the ceremony is to take place but the best opinions obtainable on the question is that the ceremony was perfectly legal inasmuch as it was performed by an officer duly qualified to perform such an act at the place where he performed the ceremony. There has never been any question raised as to the legality and binding force of the romantic marriages occasionally reported where the couple are united on a train which is covering the counties at the rate of four or five per hour and the parties concerned had no license of any kind.

While the marriage is considered all right the irregularity of the proceeding is charged to the justice who according to the law laid himself liable to a fine of $100 for his negligence. However, the matter will probably never come to anything.

A Pension.

John W. Weaver of Argenta has been granted a pension of $12 a month.

A BUGGY FACTORY

The Starr Building on North Main Street to be Occupied by New Enterprise.

CHRONISTER BUILDING SOLD

To W. H. Starr Who Will Move His Wholesale Harness Store There.

The Chronister building on the corner of North Broadway and Central avenue was sold Wednesday to W. H. Starr, the consideration being $16,000. The deal followed on a plan for a general changing around of the Starr interests in this city.

For some time it has been known that J. S. and H. C. Starr were to go into the business of manufacturing buggies. They will quit the bicycle and harness business and give their attention exclusively to the building of vehicles. For this purpose they will occupy the Starr building on North Main street, which has heretofore been devoted to the manufacture of [illegible]. This building was recently sold by W. H. Starr to John Ullrich for $[illegible]. The retail store will be conducted [illegible] square by W. H. Starr. It has been used for years for this purpose and is one of the best known stands in the city. The Chronister building will be used for the manufacture and wholesaling of harness. The new owner considers it large enough but says that if it is not that there is plenty of room there for expansion.

J. S. and H. C. Starr, who have been out of the city for several days completing arrangements for their new business, will be home shortly to consummate the plan. A few years ago they added vehicles to their line and the success with which they have met induced them to give their entire attention to vehicles.

The manufacture of buggies is on somewhat different lines now than formerly. There is no one firm in the United States that makes these vehicles in large numbers complete. There are different factories for different portions of the buggies. These parts are purchased and assembled at the factories. That is the plan to be pursued by the new firm and their product will be known as strictly Decatur product. They will job the output of the factory.

The new enterprise will be under way in the course of a few weeks and promises to become one of the best known in Decatur.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Dienstbier Happily Celebrated.

On November 25th, 1890, Miss Mattie Davidson and Simon Dienstbier were married by Rev. Harvey of the First Baptist church at Shelbyville, Ind.

Last night the members of Decatur Royal Circle, No. 47, celebrated the 12th anniversary of the marriage. It was a mask party. There were about fifty in the party and they gathered around Mrs. Dienstbier, who is worthy ruler of the Circle, and presented her with an elegant gold watch chain. The evening was spent with games and music. Refreshments were served.

Deeds Recorded.

Herbert J. Hill to Eunice G. Steele part of lot 2 in block 2 in western addition to Decatur, also a tract 70x11 feet adjoining said lot 2 on the north; $1600.

David A. Mollic to Suttern, Hunt & Co., lot 9 and part of lot 8 in block 1 on Joseph King's addition to Decatur; $50.

Charles Golembewski to David O. and Ona Kincaid lot 1 in the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section 33, township 17, range 3 east; $1500.

David O. and Ona Kincaid to Chas. and Henrietta Golembewski, lot 1 in block 7 in Carver's addition to Decatur, $1500.

Mary J. Ursoy to Suttern, Hunt & Co., lot 9 and part of lot 8 in block 1 in Joseph King's addition to Decatur, $1000.

Marriage Licenses.

Claude McClure, Cerro Gordo 22
Mae Burley, Cerro Gordo 18
Leroy E. Weiser, Decatur 21
Mary E. Schmink, Decatur 19
Roy Alexander Stewart, Decatur ..Legal
Maud Estelle Evans, Decatur ..Legal
Walter T. Putts, Decatur 23
Grace M. Erisman, Decatur 17
Walter Q. Widdows, Newman 24
Elma A. French, Decatur 21
Harry L. Myers, Decatur 22
Kathryn Rosback, Decatur 21
Rollie R. Abraham, Decatur 24
Margaret Kelly, Decatur ....[illegible]
James Van Horsen, Barry, Ill. ..22
Lydia Ancely, Alexander 22

Farmers Objected.

Joe Bybee, Dick Mueller and Thomas Cooper spent Tuesday hunting near Latham and succeeded in arousing the wrath of several of the farmers, if they did not arouse much game. The hunters were corralled on a farm near the town and accused of shooting chickens. The farmers called a constable to search the trio. When the officer of the law arrived his authority was demanded. The constable went after a warrant and in the meantime the hunters emptied their pockets and satisfied the farmers. There was [illegible] the farmers. Their inventory was 21 quails, eight rabbits and some smaller game.

Comparative Illiteracy.

Eight per cent. of the population of this country is still illiterate. In Germany, only 1 per cent. of illiterates exist, and in Bavaria, Baden, Wurtemberg and Scandinavia there are no totally uneducated people.—Success.

Good Husker.

Oscar Tath, who has been working for Charles Lehman on the old Shockey farm, eleven miles northwest of Decatur, has cribbed 2,832 bushels of corn. He had been husking 21 days last Saturday.

LEAVES VACANCY

Speculation as to the Successor of Judge F. M. Wright of Champaign

MAKES OPENING FOR E. P. VAIL.

Macon County Judicial Officer May be Called to Appellate Bench.

The announcement Wednesday of the appointment of Judge F. M. Wright to a position on the court of claims aroused considerable interest here as to the effect this would have on the coming judicial election. It will not effect Macon county directly as the republican voters in the recent primary election said that they desired Hon. W. C. Johns to represent them on the ticket. It was conceded that Judge Wright would be the choice of the Champaign county republicans. His retirement from the bench will necessitate the appointment of his successor by Governor Yates. Whoever is named as his successor will be the next candidate from Champaign county in all likelihood.

Commenting on the matter, a republican who is in a position to make a fairly accurate prediction said:

"Talking with a man today who is conversant with the situation I should hazard the guess that the successor to Judge Wright by appointment will be Roy Wright, his son, or Solon Philbrick. They seem to be the most likely candidates for consideration at the hands of the governor. If either is appointed he will be considered in line for the nomination at the hands of the republicans. Judge Wright had the endorsement of the republican convention for that place, and it is probable that no interference would be made with his successor. As a matter of fact Corey Johns of this city is the only aspirant to judicial honors in this district coming direct to the body of voters from the people of his county with their endorsement. In case the voters of Champaign should decide to follow the course of the voters here the outlook would not be so rosy for the successor of Judge Wright, who merely holds a commission from the governor.

"Judge Wright is recognized as an able lawyer. He at present holds a position on the appellate bench of this district. His removal to Washington will leave a vacancy on that bench. Judge Vail seems to be in line as his successor in case a successor is named for the position. The appellate court is now in session and there will be one more session, that of May, before the election. While his service would be short he is entitled to the place, and I am sure that the republicans of this city and the people of Macon county would be pleased to see Judge Vail so honored, even though it be for a brief term."

The position to which Judge Wright has been appointed on the Court of Claims is a good one. It pays $7,000 a year, just twice the salary paid to a circuit judge in this state.

SETTLED OUT OF COURT

Justice Prevented Law Suit at Expense of His Costs.

The case of Frank Harpstrite vs. John Hawkins, distress for rent was taken to Justice McCoy's court on a change of venue from Justice Provost. Just before beginning the examination of the witnesses Justice McCoy inquired if any effort had been made to reach a compromise in the case and when told no, suggested that the parties to the suit with their attorneys try to get together. A short conference was held which resulted in an agreement being reached in fifteen minutes. Everybody was pleased and ahead of the game but the Justice who lost out on his costs because the case did not come to trial.

In the same court S. D. Hill got judgment for $5.25 against William Walmsley, his wife and his daughter, Mrs. Dodge. Hill sued for the payment of a bill for moving the household goods of the defendants and proved that the moving had been done and was worth the price asked.

THE LITTLE FOLKS

Of the Kindergarten Have Thanksgiving Day Exercises.

The children of the Kindergarten, 515 Prairie avenue, had a special celebration Wednesday morning. Thirty of them were arrayed in costume, six wearing the headgear, war paint and blankets of Indians, while the others were garbed in white collars and steeple hats of the Pilgrim Fathers or the aprons, fichus and bonnets of the Pilgrim mothers. The costumes were of the children's own making, and showed careful work.

The regular program for the morning work was carried out. Stories of the Indians, first Thanksgiving, marching, the Pilgrim Fathers going to church and a procession of the children carrying a sample of fruit or vegetable in one hand and a lighted candle in the other were much enjoyed.

Indian games along with some of the regular Kindergarten games and table work, consisting of stringing of colored beads, making cardboard Pilgrim houses, and the representation of log cabins proved of interest to the children and the dozen or more mothers who took the opportunity to visit the Kindergarten. The children have been studying primitive life with its need of food, clothes and shelter and they have memorized a few portions of Hiawatha and learned many things concerning the lives of the people. This early instruction will vividly impress them and interest them in the life of our forefathers.

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DR. M. V. LONERGAN

And Miss Mary E. Dresbach to Be Married This Morning at C. P. Parsonage.

WIDDOWS-FRENCH NUPTIALS

Celebrated at Home of Bride's Mother on North College Street.

At the Cumberland Presbyterian parsonage this morning between 11 and 12 o'clock, Dr. M. V. Lonergan of this city and Miss Mary Elizabeth Dresbach, of Warrensburg, will be united in marriage by Rev. J. W. McDonald, pastor of the church. The announcement of the wedding will prove a surprise to many of the doctor's Decatur friends although the approaching nuptials have been known in Warrensburg for some time past.

The wedding will be a very quiet affair. The groom is one of the best known of Decatur's medical fraternity, and has a wide acquaintance in the county. He was for many years a practitioner at Casner and came to Decatur about ten years ago, since which he has established a splendid city practice. He is a prominent member of the Cumberland Presbyterian church. Miss Dresbach made her home here for a number of years, living with her brother, Charles Dresbach. She has many friends here and will be warmly welcomed to church and social circles.

Widdows-French.

The marriage of Miss Elma French, daughter of Mrs. Emma French, 938 North College street, to Walter Q. Widdows, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Widdows, of Newman, Ill. was solemnized at the home of the bride's mother Wednesday evening. The ceremony was performed in the parlors of the home which were beautifully decorated with chrysanthemums and roses. Rev. William Brandon of the Grace Methodist church officiated. Little Misses Gladys French, sister of the bride and Mary Votaw of Indianapolis, stood on either side of the couple carrying immense bouquets of roses and carnations. During the ceremony Miss Bertha Gray played the wedding serenade, and following the ceremony Miss Grace Beadles sang "Oh Promise Me."

The bridal gown was a beautiful creation of Paris muslin over white silk, trimmed in rosettes of white satin. The bride carried a bouquet of white roses. Her high coiffure was pinned with a rosette of white satin. Gladys French was gowned in pink silk and Mary Votaw in white silk.

Following the ceremony the wedding party were ushered into the dining room where an elaborate wedding supper was served. The bride and groom sat at the head of the table and the relatives and friends gathered round. In the center of the table was the bride's cake and an immense cluster of roses with smilax, running to the four corners of the table.

After the supper the bride and groom mingled with their guests and received congratulations. Among those present were five newly married couples. They were: Mr. and Mrs. White of Newman, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Widdows, brother of the groom, from Oakland, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brown, of this city, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Luringer of this city.

The bride is well known, being an accomplished vocalist and elocutionist. During her residence in this city she has been actively identified with the work of Grace church.

The groom is a mail clerk on the Big Four between Indianapolis and St. Louis. A few years ago he was employed as mail clerk on the I., D. & W. running into this city. At that time he was a prominent worker in the R. R. Y. M. C. A. For the last four years he has made his home in Indianapolis where he has many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. French left last night for their new home in Indianapolis, where the groom is erecting a modern cottage for the reception of his bride.

The couple received many handsome presents. Chief Devore and Fire Department No. 1 presented them with a beautiful set of teaspoons. The W. C. T. U. presented them with a handsomely bound copy of the "Life of Francis Willard," and the Wabash shop men presented her with a bible. There were a number of other beautiful presents.

The following were the out of town guests present:

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Votaw and daughter Mary of Indianapolis, Mrs. H. Widdows and daughter Nellie, mother and sister of the groom, of Newman, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. White of Newman, Leslie Lydick of Champaign, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Widdows, brother of the groom of Oakland, Ill.

Brown-Ferguson.

The First Methodist church at Casey, Ill., was the scene of a pretty wedding on Tuesday evening when George Brown, secretary of the R. R. Y. M. C. A. in this city and Miss Anna Ferguson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Ferguson of Casey, Ill., were married by the Rev. Waters, pastor of the church. The church had been beautifully decorated by members of the league of the church.

As the bridal party entered the church they were met by the ushers, L. P. Emig, assistant secretary of the R. R. Y. M. C. A., and Ralph Bennett, of Casey. The church was filled with the friends of the couple.

The bride is a deaconess in the church and is very popular in her home town on account of her religious ways and pleasing disposition. Their friends deluged them with presents. The groom came to this city about a year ago to succeed S. D. Adkins as secretary. He has worked faithfully for the good of the association, and is universally popular with the railroad boys.

To show their appreciation the employes of the Association and friends presented them with a handsome silver service.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown arrived home Wednesday afternoon and will make their home with Mrs. French at 938 North College street.

Myers-Rosback.

At his home on West North street last night, Rev. J. J. Roach officiated at the marriage of Harry L. Myers and Kathryn Rosback. For the present the couple will board on East North street.

SOCIALLY SPEAKING

Mrs. Emma Darling, 325 Division street, celebrated her 32nd birthday by entertaining the clerks of the Stewart Dry Goods company at her home on Tuesday evening. The company came masked and enjoyed a very pleasing evening. Mr. Darling has entertained the clerks annually for several years and they had anticipated the evening and presented her with some handsome presents. During the evening there was a taffy pulling and pop corn eating contest. Frank Bear won the prize for the most comical costume and Miss Annie Hines won the prize for being the last person recognized.

Wednesday afternoon at their home on Prairie avenue, the Misses Montgomery entertained at cards in honor of Miss Royse of Terre Haute, Miss Jack of Peoria and Mrs. T. B. Jack of this city. About forty ladies attended and the afternoon was pleasantly spent. Among the guests was Miss Hoit of St. Louis, who is the guest of Miss Scruggs.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel McCane entertained the members of the Y. M. P. S. C. at their home, 418 West Wood street, last night in honor of their first wedding anniversary. The colors of the club are white and pink and they prevailed in the decoration of the house and dining rooms. There were about twenty couple present. Games and music furnished amusement. Miss Barbara Griffin assisted Mr. and Mrs. McCane in entertaining.

TRUE THIS TIME.

Another Report Concerning Death of M. J. Hennessy.

The announcement of the death of M. T. Hennessy at Kansas City, which was made last Thursday and which had since been discredited appears now to be true.

A dispatch in a St. Louis paper under date of November 25, is as follows:

Kansas City, Nov. 25—Michael J. Hennessy of St. Louis died at the German hospital here Monday. It is supposed that he committed suicide.

A. J. Crane, his brother-in-law, arrived here Tuesday to take charge of the remains and made a statement that Hennessy sent a telegram to his wife in St. Louis announcing his death.

Mr. Crane said:

"On Nov. 17 Mike left home without telling his wife of his intentions. We heard nothing more of him until day before yesterday, when his wife received a telegram reading: 'Mike shipped tonight on Wabash, a corpse.' This was signed 'Mike J. Hennessy.'

"Immediately I wired the police in Kansas City to look out for the body. They found him in the German hospital. From my discoveries today Mike wrote the telegram and filed it himself at the depot."

James Nolan, a Wabash switchman in this city and a brother-in-law of Hennessy went to St. Louis Tuesday to attend the funeral.

A Coincidence.

On Monday next Charles Thrift will assume the duties of his position as sheriff. It is a bit of a coincidence that when Sheriff Lehman took hold the first case in which he was engaged officially was a murder trial—the Clevinger-Telford case. On Monday when he assumes the duties of high sheriff, Charles Thrift will have one of his official boarders, C. Elmer Attebery, on trial for killing Frank Lemar.

Justice Courts.

The hack drivers who were arrested on complaint of John Francis will fight the case and it has been set for Friday at 1 o'clock before Justice O'Mara. An interesting time is promised.

Justice McCoy gave his decision yesterday in the case of Pickle vs. Shasteen. He gave judgment for $45 in favor of Pickle who had sued for $100 as commission on a real estate deal.

Sold His Store.

Charles E. Dashiel has sold his candy store at 340 North Main street to Henry F. Droblsch.

Back from Tuskegee.

Charles Reeves Bell, better known as "Chalk" returned Wednesday from Tuskegee where he has been attending the Booker T. Washington Institute for the past four months. Charley says that he is a full fledged engineer and that he don't expect to go back. He says that the menu at the institute is pricipally composed of beans and corn bread and he thought that he would simply die if he had to stay there and put away a diet like that Thanksgiving day.

PERSONALS.

W. N. Edie left last night for Monticello.

A. H. Ernest left last night for Chicago.

C. E. Osborne is confined to his home by illness.

Miss Madge Hays left yesterday for Moweaqua.

George A. Miller will go to Chicago this morning.

Miss Kathryn Dillehunt will go to Clinton today.

Samuel Miller and wife will go to Harvel today.

Miss Dorathea Wayne left yesterday for Blue Island.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Snyder of Philo are in the city.

Miss Etta Potterfield will spend a week in Champaign.

Harry Neef of Springfield is in the city visting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rike are visiting friends in Peoria today.

Gyp Maffit went to Champaign yesterday for a week's visit.

George Short is in Chicago to visit friends for a few days.

Will and Harry Knotts left for Morrisonville yesterday.

Miss Hazel King left yesterday for Danville to spend a week with friends.

HERR KRUPP.

This noted name applies to three celebrated mechanics and humanitarians, whose mechanical genius and magnitude of industrial business, stand without a parallel in the history of the world.

They added fame to their country and towered above all titled nobility.

The elder Krupp was somewhat obscure. He established an iron forge at Essen in 1810 and at the time of his death in 1848, had three forges and three mechanics in his employ. It remained for Alfred Krupp to add lustre to this name. He was a mechanical genius and philanthropist of the first magnitude. He became known throughout the civilized world during the Franco-German war in 1870, by the gigantic siege guns, firing one thousand pound balls a distance of more than 10 miles, that he furnished the German army. He became the military supply of many nations. The Bessemer steel process; the mighty steam forging hammers and the cannon foundry of Krupp, made Germany the leading steel industry of the world. The success of the Krupp industry soon made it the largest plant in the world. At the time of Alfred Krupp's death in 1887, he had upwards of 20,000 men in his employ. Friederick Alfred Krupp, who died a few days ago, was a worthy successor. He developed and carried forward this great work. So famous did he become, that he stands as the only private citizen in modern times, who felt that the greatest title that the emperor offered to confer upon him would add nothing to him.

The wealthy American manufacturers, who are fawning and cringing before the royalty of Europe, will find an object lesson in the life and work of this great mechanic, philanthropist and sage.

Behind this great man and overshadowing every other element that contributed to his fame and success was his silent partner.

This mysterious and powerful ally of Krupp, is a stranger to most of the modern industrial sovereigns.

Krupp studied and rightly understood human nature. He believed with all his heart, the great truism, that verily what a man soweth that shall he also reap. He needed his silent partner and he needed him every hour. Every act of kindness and to the full extent of his power, did he bestow and give to his partner. He knew that all skill, all labor and all success depended upon his partner doing his best. He was willing to divide the fruit of toil with his partner.

To this end, large tracts of land were purchased. It was sub-divided into building lots. Building material was purchased in large quantities and all offered to this silent partner at cost. Money was loaned him at 2 1-2 per cent on long time and easy payments. A fund was created for the relief of the disabled. Life insurance on the mutual plan was adopted. Co-operative stores were established. Schools of the highest order were founded. The health of the partner was carefully looked after. Places of amusement were furnished. In fact this silent partner soon found out that his best friend in the world was Krupp. In return this partner was stimulated to the rendering of the best service possible. Every man's success and happiness depended upon the success of Krupp. No wonder that labor troubles are unknown in Essen. This silent partner knew that strict fidelity to his master brought him the richest reward possible in this life. Here was an appeal to the best in man. Man responded with the noblest and best that was in him. This bond between Krupp and his men is the secret of his fame and of his success.

Everything possible to make life worth living under the most advanced conditions of civilzation were afforded.

This great object lesson stands out in its beauty of love and in its magnanimity of goodness, like the halo of the rising sun over a battlefield. Instead of helping the men, most employers grow immensely rich by an unequal division of the fruits of toils. Instead of looking after the health and comfort of their employes, too many times the employer asks: Am I my employees' keeper?

The battlefield is the industrial world, where employers do not do what is right by their men and then the men re-criminate themselves against this oppression by slighting their work and hating their employer.

No man has a right to his pay until he has earned it. That man who slights his work and hates his employer is unfit for the place.

The employer must learn that his employes are his silent partner and this silent partner must learn that he is unworthy of the things bestowed upon Krupp's silent partners, until with an honest intention and faithful determination, he does the very best possible service for his master.

Whenever employer and employe understand and act upon the great underlying principle of co-operation for success, then this new era of Krupp will be ushered in as a mutual blessing for the industrial world.

ALBERT G. WEBBER.

The contract was awarded Tuesday by President Ramsey, of the Wabash, and President Blair, of the Little Kanawha, for seventy-one miles, connecting part of the Little Kanawha and the West Virginia Central, amounting to $2,500,000. Philadelphia and Baltimore firms secured the contracts. The line to be built runs from Sandy Bend to Burnsville, W. Va., from which point the line will connect with the West Virginia Central at Bellington. The work is to be completed within sixteen months. Contracts for the remainder of the road (118 miles) will be let before Feb. 1.

Asleep Amid Flames.

Breaking into a blazing home some firemen lately dragged the sleeping inmates from death. Fancied security and death near. It's that way when you neglect colds and coughs. Don't do it. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption gives peerfect protection against all throat, chest and lung troubles. Keep it near, and avoid suffering, death and doctor's bills. A teaspoonful stops a late cough, persistent use the most stubborn. Harmless and nice tasting, its guaranteed to satisfy. At the drug stores of John E. King, McNier & Horrall and N. L. Krone. Price 50c and $1. Trial bottles 10c.

A number of cases of diphtheria have been reported from the northwestern part of the county.

MATTER OF FORM

Engineers' General Adjustment Board of Wabash System Met in Decatur Transacting Routine Business.

GENERAL MEETING CALLED OFF.

Dr. Parrish Will be in Charge of New Hospital—Dr. Pollock his Assistant.

Wednesday the members of the general adjustment board representing the engineers of the Wabash system, met in Decatur. After the adjournment the statement was made that practically the only business of the meeting had been to elect a chairman and secretary of the board. E. J. Brookings and G. N. Nelson, both of Moberly, Mo., were elected chairman and secretary, respectively. One of the members of the committee said:

"The only business we had to consider was the election of the chairman and secretary. Each year every division on the system elects a representative to attend the general meeting. This year there was only the election to look after. Of course we discussed some things, but only informally. In addition to the two chosen officers there were present Messrs. Collier of Stanberry, Mo.; Hammond, of Detroit; King, of Peru; Hunter, of Ashley, and Smith, of Chicago.

The visitors remained in Decatur last night to attend the ball given by the members of the Decatur division of the B. of L. E.

Called Off.

Some time ago the Herald mentioned the fact that a general meeting of railroad brotherhood men in the central west had been called to meet in St. Louis on Monday, December 1. The statement is now made that that meeting has now been called off. A brotherhood man in discussing that meeting said, "The meeting has been called off. I have not heard the explanation for that move, but I think I can make a close guess. Many of the companies whose employes would have been present have made announcement of raises in wages, now effective or soon to be effective. Of course it is well understood that the meeting in December was to consider the proposition of making a general demand for an increase in all departments of the train service. In view of the fact that increases have already been granted, the excuse for that meeting does not now exist. On the Wabash, for instance, a bulletin has been posted saying that a general increase in wages is to be made. The figures have not yet been given out, but we can wait and see what they will be. Individually I believe that it would be an act of discourtesy toward President Ramsey for the Wabash men to formulate a demand for an increase when he has already announced that an increase is to be granted. To me it seems that the thing for the Wabash men to do is to wait until the increases have been announced and then, if they are not satisfactory, it would be ample time to make a demand for the increase to which they feel that they are entitled. That, you understand, is an individual opinion only, but is what I consider the courteous and the fair thing to do."

It's Parrish and Pollock.

For some time railroad men have been guessing who are to be in charge of the new Wabash hospital here. While it has not been officially announced Dr. M. D. Parrish, at present in charge of the dispensary, is slated for the position of surgeon in charge. Dr. M. D. Pollock, it is said, will be first assistant. It is also stated that the house surgeon, who is now in charge in Springfield, will be transferred to this city. There will also be a specialist for the eye, ear, nose and throat cases. His name is not given, but it is understood that he is a Decatur man. There will also be several consulting surgeons, who will not be named until the hospital is opened.

Expectancy.

For some reason there seems to be an air of expectancy about the Wabash round house. Some of the men have it in their bones that there is soon to be a settlement of the strike in which the boiler makers, machinists, blacksmiths and their helpers are now engaged. The local officials of the machinery department who share this general feeling, decline to say on what they base their opinions, but declare that they believe the trouble will be at an end before December 1.

Must Go Alone.

A dispatch sent out from Springfield says: Springfield and Decatur appear to be left alone in the fight for a reduction of freight rates in Illinois.

For nearly a year the question of a general revision of the Illinois tariff schedules has been under discussion.

The Quincy Freight Bureau was active in inaugurating the movement for a general reduction of rates, and succeeded in interesting several of the leading cities of the state in the proposition.

Since the fight was begun, however, the Quincy shippers have been granted all the concessions they asked. Although Peoria joined in the movement that city always has been favored by the railroads and the shippers of that point have nothing to ask.

Bloomington shippers are now negotiating with the railroads, and, if that city effects an agreement, Springfield and Decatur will be left alone, with little prospect of securing a reduction in shipping rates from these points, unless the Railroad and Warehouse Commission acts.

On his recent visit to Chicago Dr. W. C. Bowers purchased a Wagner Mica Plate X-Ray machine with all attachments. It was delivered to his office in the Millikin building yesterday.

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LAKE DISAST

STEAMER CHARLES HEBAR[D] SCHOONER ALOHA ARE [illegible] WITH ALL ON BOARD

STRUCK BY A HEAVY

Saturday Night in the Middle of [illegible] Superior the Steamer Goes [illegible] the Shore.

Sault Ste Marie, Dec. 1—[illegible] Charles Hebard was wrec[ked] Point Mainse today. The br[illegible] and disappeared completely ar[illegible] believed her crew of 14 men w[illegible]

The schooner Aloha, which [illegible] in tow, is still missing [illegible] Sarrion.

The Warmington and Fr[illegible] which formed the other boats [illegible] steamer's tow, are anchored at Mainse.

The boats were lumber [illegible] bound for Lake Erie ports. W[illegible] the middle of Lake Superior, S[illegible] night, they were struck by a g[ale] [illegible] after the Aloha, the rear [illegible] the tow, parted her two li[nes] [illegible] adrift. When last seen s[illegible] in the trough with none [illegible] sail set. The remaining [illegible] either broke away or were set [illegible] soon afterward. Before d[illegible] Sunday morning the Fra[illegible] combi[illegible] the copper mine point at t[illegible] of the lake. When day dawn[ed the] wreck of the Hebard was disc[overed] on shore with only the smok[estack] and pilot house standing out [of the] water, but by 8:30 o'clock eve[rything] had disappeared and ship and [illegible] was being strewn along the be[ach by] the breakers.

As the shore at that point [is] rugged and rocky it is feared [that] if the crew attempted to lea[ve the] steamer when she struck, the[y] must have been dashed to piec[es].

The list of Hebard's crew is [illegible]

George G. Ryan, captain.

William Schumaker, Joseph [illegible] engineers. T. F. Correll A. J[illegible] mates.

John Kortas, watchman, (al[illegible] Detroit.)

[illegible] Eastman, Wheelsman.

Charles Barton, wheelsman, [illegible] Clemens.

Neil Fay, watchman.

William Eagan, Ed Hughes, fi[illegible] George Turpin, Matthew [illegible] deckhands.

Mrs. Barnes, cook, Buffalo.

The crew of the Aloha are [illegible] lows:

Peter Johnson, master Tona[illegible]

Benj. Berry, mate.

Mrs. Olesen, cook.

C. Anderson.

William Much.

S. G. Miller.

R. A. Bell, seamen.

A VALUABLE MAIL

Was Either Lost or Stolen at [illegible]ville, Ky., About Ten Da[ys] Ago.

GOVERNMENT IS INVESTIGA[TING]

Danville, Ky., Dec. 1—A sack [illegible] containing $14,000 in drafts [illegible] checks from the internal reven[ue] [illegible] here and $3000 in bank [illegible] drafts besides registered [illegible] from various parties, was sto[len] [illegible] between the Danville postof[fice and] depot, or on a Cincinnati mai[l train] ten days ago.

James Hocker, carrier says [illegible] handed the sack to the mail ag[ent on] the train, but the latter says [illegible] did not. It was after dark and [there] were a large number of sacks [illegible] general impression is the sa[ck was] stolen at the depot.

The matter was kept quiet today, but an investigation has [been] in progress by the government.

Sounds Like Haggard.

London, Dec. 1.—Bulgarian h[illegible] pers are publishing stori[es] of [illegible] atrocities by the Turks [illegible] Ma[illegible] Children are reported to have [been] torn in pieces in the presence of parents; men have been roaste[d] and others tortured with red [illegible] bonfids placed on their heads. [illegible] peasants are said to have been [illegible] ed to death.

YATES ASKS EXTRADITI[ON]

Of George Stone Under Arrest i[n Lon]don for Chicago Murder.

Springfield, Dec. 1—Governor today made application to the [illegible] department at Washington, [for] the extradition of George [Stone] charged with killing Robert N[illegible] week at Chicago. Stone is now [under] arrest in London.

Six Hard and Fast Round[s]

Philadelphia, Dec. 1— Grif[illegible] of this city, and Hugh [illegible] Mc[illegible] of New York, fought six hard a[nd] rounds tonight in which the latt[er had] the better of the contest

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